

Winter 2017

# Recreation Guide

January \* February \* March



GILBERT PARKS & RECREATION

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Registration System*

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TODAY!**

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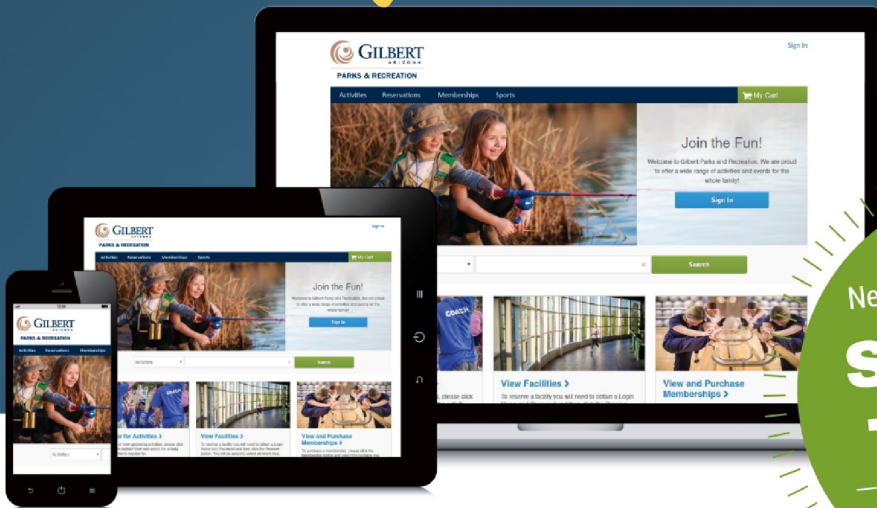
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In an effort to make getting active with Gilbert Parks and Recreation even easier, we're launching a new, user-friendly online registration system, ActiveNet, on [GilbertRecreation.com](http://GilbertRecreation.com)!

All current and new Gilbert Parks and Recreation users will be required to sign up for a new account. Users will be able to use this new system when registering for winter session programs starting December 13th and thereafter.

Not participating in any classes or programs during the winter session? No worries, we still encourage you to sign up for your new account because it will be required when you're ready to register for your next program or class.

Signing up for your new account is easy!

### 1. Visit

[gilbertrecreation.com](http://gilbertrecreation.com)

### 2. Sign Up

for a new account

### 3. Browse/Register

for Gilbert Parks and Recreation Programs

Registration for our Winter Session begins December 13th.

[gilbertrecreation.com](http://gilbertrecreation.com)



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**GILBERT** ...our mission  
ARIZONA  
**PARKS & RECREATION**

Gilbert Parks and Recreation Department commits to provide superior parks, recreation and cultural programs, which exceed customer expectations, enhance the quality of life, and promote lifelong leisure and educational pursuits. These services are provided by a dedicated team, focused on fairness, trust and innovation, with a commitment to excellence.



Connect for more fun!

 @GilbertParksRec

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## on the cover

Liza Allen, Instructor at Freestone Recreation Center. Come get fit with us by taking a class!

## Letter from the Director

In an effort to make getting active with Gilbert Parks and Recreation even easier, we're launching a new, user-friendly online registration and reservation system! All customers will be required to create a NEW account online at [GilbertRecreation.com](http://GilbertRecreation.com). You can create your new account and view classes online beginning December 2<sup>nd</sup>. Stay "in the know" with our new Communication features.



- \* Sign up to receive text message alerts when a game or activity is canceled at the last minute.
- \* Indicate what your interests are to receive emails tailored to your favorite activities.
- \* Seamlessly connect to your Facebook account to post an RSVP and invite friends to participate.
- \* Share what you are doing and which activities you are signed up for with your Facebook friends with the click of a button.
- \* Find a class you would love to take, but registration isn't open yet? Save the class to your Wish List! Once Registration opens, you can simply add your Wish List items to your cart. Start building your wish list on December 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Winter is a great time to enjoy the outdoors, get in shape, recreate and connect with our community through parks and recreation. Call our office to reserve a Ramada for your next family gathering 480-503-6200.

Come out and experience the holiday festivities at the Riparian After Dark. Stroll through the Riparian and enjoy holiday music, light displays and luminaries December 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> 5:30-9pm. Get Outdoors with Gilbert on February 25<sup>th</sup> at Outdoor Expo located at the Riparian from 9am-Noon. You will have a chance to brush up on various outdoor activities or learn new skills, including fishing, camping, hunting, hiking and much more.

Stay on track with your fitness goals at the Freestone Recreation Center. Did you know Freestone Recreation center offers outstanding group fitness classes, a weight room, a climbing wall, racquetball, personal training and an indoor track? Stop by for a visit and learn how we can help you achieve your fitness goals.

Support the newly founded Gilbert Parks and Recreation Foundation by becoming a [Friend of Gilbert Parks](http://FriendofGilbertParks.com). Memberships range from \$25-\$100 per year offering various member benefits and you get to help Gilbert Parks and Recreation deliver the best services possible to our excellent community. Visit the Foundation website for more information and to become a "Friend" at [mygprf.org](http://mygprf.org). The Gilbert Parks and Recreation Foundation is also hosting an exciting raffle for a new Apple Watch 2. For a chance to win please contact Jen Lauria 480-503-6234 or email [jennifer.lauria@gilbertaz.gov](mailto:jennifer.lauria@gilbertaz.gov) before December 17, 2016.

Stay up to date with Gilbert Parks and Recreation by signing up for our newsletter [gilbertaz.gov/parks](http://gilbertaz.gov/parks).

Sincerely,

Rod Buchanan  
Parks and Recreation Director

Connect with us!



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@GilbertParksRec

## Town of Gilbert Phone Numbers



**Utilities Department**  
(480) 503-6800

**Neighborhood Services**  
(480) 503-6277

**Riparian Preserve**  
(480) 503-6200

**Gilbert Assistance Program (GAP)**  
(480) 503-6200

**Gilbert Senior Services**  
(480) 503-6061

**Freestone Recreation Center**  
(480) 503-6202

**Gilbert Community Center**  
(480) 503-6290  
**McQueen Park Activity Center**  
(480) 503-6294

**Southeast Regional**

**Library Recreation Office**  
(480) 503-6256

**Maricopa County Library Services**  
(602) 652-3000

## POOLS/ SEASONAL

**Mesquite Aquatic Center**  
(480) 503-6206

**Greenfield Pool**  
(480) 503-6206

**Perry Pool**  
(480) 503-6206

**Williams Field Pool**  
(480) 503-6206

## Gilbert Town Council

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Councilmember Victor Petersen  
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## Parks, Recreation and Library Services Advisory Board

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Board Member Mickie Niland  
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## GENERAL REGISTRATION INFORMATION

1. Gilbert Resident registration begins **Tuesday, December 13, 2016**. During this time online, mail-in and fax registrations will be available. *Online registration begins at 7am.*
2. Non-resident registration begins **Thursday, December 15, 2016**. During this time online, walk-in and mail-in registrations will be available. *Online registration begins at 7am.*
3. Registration is ongoing until programs are filled.
4. Registration forms received prior to the registration dates will not be processed until the registration date as time permits.
5. **ONLINE REGISTRATION:** is processed in real time. **You must "accept" the waiver of liability and make a payment in order to confirm placement in a course/program.**
6. Online registration requires a payment by credit card, or by using an existing credit on your recreation account. If you wish to register online but do not want to use a credit card, you may come into the Parks and Recreation office prior to registration and place a credit on your recreation account using cash, check or money order. The credit can then be applied toward any online registration.
7. Print a copy of your online registration receipt for confirmation of your course/program enrollment.
8. **MAIL-IN REGISTRATION:** forms require an assumption of risk waiver signature by a parent/guardian.
9. Mail-in and walk-in registrations are processed during regular business hours: **Monday-Thursday 7am-6pm; CLOSED Fridays.**
10. Payment can be made by either cash, check, credit card, or money order. For mail-in registration, do not mail cash.
11. The Town of Gilbert is not responsible for lost or misdirected mail.
12. Payment must be made at the time of the enrollment in order for the registration to be complete.
13. Early registration is encouraged to help prevent course cancellation.
14. **WAITLISTS:** If you are on a waitlist for a class, and an opening becomes available, a Parks & Recreation staff member will contact the waitlisted clients in order of the waitlisted position. Each waitlisted position will receive a 24 hour window to respond to the opening before the recreation staff member continues on through the waitlisted positions.
15. A participant will be allowed to register for a class as long as the participant reaches the required age anytime during the session, unless otherwise stated in the class description.
16. Gilbert Parks and Recreation Department is committed to being fair and equitable to all participants, therefore we are unable to make exceptions to any class policies. We appreciate your cooperation and understanding.
17. The Town of Gilbert has the right to cancel, postpone, combine classes, change rooms and/or instructors at any time. For the most up-to-date information, contact the respective center.
18. A \$25 service charge will be assessed on returned checks.

Credit/Refund requests must be received by 6pm, one week before the start of a class, camp or program.

*Call (480) 503-6200 for further information.*

## CLASS PROGRAM GUIDELINES AND POLICIES

- While we love our parents, our recreation classes are intended for drop off only and parents are not allowed in the classroom during class time. If your child is not ready to attend a class without a caregiver, please see the Parent/Tot section for options. Exceptions are made for participants with special needs who require assistance.
- For **PARENT/TOT** classes, only registered participant and parent are allowed in the classroom. Siblings, including infants, unless registered, are not allowed in the classroom. Parents do not need to register but will be required to sign a waiver of liability on the first day of the session.
- Participants should dress appropriately according to the type of class. Tights/leotards and/or loose clothing are recommended for dance/movement classes, sneakers for sports classes, etc. Closed-toe shoes are a must for all classes.
- Click on [Class Program Policies and Guidelines](#) for a complete list.

## REFUND AND CANCELLATION INFORMATION

*Requests for a credit or refund must be received by 6pm, one week prior to the start of the class, camp and/or program. Please call (480) 503-6200 for more information.*

- The Town of Gilbert has the right to cancel any program due to insufficient enrollment.
- Early registration is encouraged to help prevent course cancellation.
- If a class or program is cancelled, participants will be notified one week prior to class start date (unless unforeseen circumstances arise) and offered an alternative choice, if available.
- If no alternative is available, a full credit will be applied back to the participant's recreation account. Credits left on recreation accounts can be used for a period of one year from the first date of the class or program for which one originally registered. Such credits may be used for any Gilbert Parks and Recreation Department class, program or rental. Credits not used or refunded after one year will be donated to the Parks and Recreation Foundation.
- Upon request, a full refund can be issued for a cancelled class or program.
- Refund checks require 2-3 weeks processing time.

Create a **NEW** Recreation Account

[Click Here For More Information](#)

# CLASS REGISTRATION INFORMATION

## CHOOSE ONE OF OUR 3 EASY WAYS TO REGISTER!



### Create Your Recreation Account Online

It's QUICK and EASY! Click [HERE](#) or log on to [www.GilbertRecreation.com](http://www.GilbertRecreation.com)

- Click 'Request NEW Account' tab
- Fill out the form for New Account Request completely, including all required fields, (Birth date, Gender, Email Address, etc.) for the Head of Household and click submit. Please submit your request only once. \*Please Note: If you are registering a child for an activity, please use your own information when filling out the online registration account request form, NOT the information of the child you wish to register for an activity. Once you have an online registration account, you will have the opportunity to add family members.



### Walk-In Registration

Walk-in to any of the following Recreation facilities to register in person beginning December 15, 2016.

**Parks and Recreation Department**  
90 E. Civic Center Dr. (480) 503-6200

**\*Freestone Recreation Center**  
1141 E. Guadalupe Rd. (480) 503-6202

**\*Gilbert Community Center**  
130 N. Oak St. (480) 503-6290

**\*McQueen Park Activity Center**  
510 N. Horne St. (480) 503-6294

For directions, please contact the Parks & Recreation Department M-TH between 7am-6pm (480) 503-6200.

*\*Registration is available for center classes only*



### Online Registration

Log on to [www.GilbertRecreation.com](http://www.GilbertRecreation.com)

- In order to login to your Gilbert Recreation Account you will need the email address you used to create your account and the password.
- If you have misplaced or forgotten your login or password, you can check the forgot password box and click continue, follow the prompts. If you still experience difficulties, please contact the Parks & Recreation office at 480-503-6200, M-TH, 7am-6pm.



### Mail-In Registration

Mail [REGISTRATION FORM](#) along with payment to:

**Parks and Recreation Department**

Attention: Registration  
90 E. Civic Center Dr.  
Gilbert, AZ 85296

- A signature is required to process registration.
- Make checks payable to: **Town of Gilbert.**
- Do not mail cash



### Payments Accepted



- Make checks payable to: **Town of Gilbert.**
- A \$25 service charge will be assessed on returned checks.

## Session Dates to Remember

**WINTER SESSION DATES: Jan 9-Mar 11, 2017**

*Winter Break Camps: December 27-30*

**Gilbert Resident Registration:** Tues., Dec. 13, 2016  
(online and mail-in registration available)

**Non-Gilbert Resident Registration:** Thurs., Dec. 15, 2016  
(online, walk-in and mail-in registration available)

**Credit/Refund Requests** must be received by 6pm, one week prior to the start of the class, camp or program.

**SPRING SESSION DATES: Mar 20-May 20, 2017**

*Spring Break Camps: March 13-17*

**Spring Recreation Guide Online:** Fri., Feb. 10, 2017

**Gilbert Resident Registration:** Tues., Feb. 21, 2017

**Non-Gilbert Resident Registration:** Thurs., Feb. 23, 2017

## Facility/Park Abbreviations Legend

CC	Gilbert Community Center	130 N. Oak St.
CPARK	Crossroads Park	2155 E. Knox Rd.
DPARK	Discovery Park	2214 E. Pecos Rd.
FPARK	Freestone Park	1045 E. Juniper Rd.
FRC	Freestone Recreation Center	1141 E. Guadalupe Rd.
MPAC	McQueen Park Activity Center	510 N. Horne St.
MPARK	McQueen Park	490 N. Horne St.
PP	Page Park Center	132 W. Bruce St.
PPARK	Page Park	120 N. Oak St.
RP	Riparian Preserve	2757 E. Guadalupe Rd.
SERL	Southeast Regional Library	775 N. Greenfield Rd.

Some classes are held at off-site locations.  
Please see course descriptions for facility information.



# RECREATION FACILITIES, AMENITIES *and* SERVICES

## PARKS & RECREATION OFFICE

90 E. Civic Center Dr.  
480-503-6200

Hours: M-TH 7am-6pm

*CLOSED: 1/16 & 2/20*

Services provided:

- General parks and recreation information
- Recreation account services (new/existing accounts, credit/refunds, etc.)
- Recreation class/program registration
- Recreation facility and park reservations

## RECREATION CENTERS



### GILBERT COMMUNITY CENTER

130 N. Oak St.  
480-503-6290

*CLOSED: 1/16 & 2/20*

Hours: M-TH 8am-6pm  
F 8am-5pm  
SAT 9am-12pm

*HOLIDAY HOURS: Closed Dec 24 –26, Dec 31 & Jan 1-2*

Services provided:

- General facility information
- Recreation class/program registration
- Adaptive Recreation services (classes and programs)
- Active Adult services (lunches and activities)
- Fitness center
- Computer lounge
- FREE Wi-Fi



### FREESTONE RECREATION CENTER

1141 E. Guadalupe Rd.  
480-503-6202

*CLOSED: 12/25 & 1/1*

Hours: M-F 5:15am-10pm  
SAT 7am-9pm  
SUN 10am-5pm

*HOLIDAY HOURS: 12/24 & 12/31 8am-5pm*

Services provided:

- General facility information
- Recreation class/program registration
- Fitness center, weight room and indoor track
- Drop-in fitness classes
- 4 Racquetball courts
- FREE Wi-Fi
- Double gymnasium (basketball, volleyball and pickleball courts)
- Locker, steam and sauna rooms
- 42' Rock wall
- Kiddy Korner-supervised child watch
- Game area (billiards, ping pong and foosball)



### MCQUEEN PARK ACTIVITY CENTER

510 N. Horne St.  
480-503-6294

*CLOSED: 1/16 & 2/20*

Hours: M-F 8am-9pm  
SAT 9:30am-5pm  
SUN *CLOSED*

*HOLIDAY HOURS: Closed Dec 24 –26 & Jan 1-2/Dec 31 –Open 9:30am-1pm*

Services provided:

- General facility information
- Recreation class/program registration
- Double gymnasium (basketball, volleyball and badminton courts)
- 8' x 36' Traverse wall
- Toddler play area
- Game area (billiards, ping pong, foosball and shuffleboard)
- FREE Wi-Fi



### SOUTHEAST REGIONAL LIBRARY

775 N. Greenfield Rd.  
480-503-6256 (Recreation Office)

*Class and facility rental information only*

Hours: Recreation Hours Vary

*CLOSED: 12/25-26, 1/1-2, 1/16 & 2/20*

*HOLIDAY HOURS: Dec 24-Open 10am-1pm*

Services provided:

- General facility information
- Recreation classes/programs
- FREE Wi-Fi

*For information regarding Library Services  
see LIBRARY SERVICES  
section beginning on page xx*

## RECREATION CENTERS: ENTRY FEES and PASSES

### Freestone Recreation Center

*Passes include fitness center, indoor track, rock wall, gymnasium, racquetball courts, steam room, sauna, & drop-in fitness classes*

#### DAILY ADMISSION RATES:

	RESIDENT	NON-RESIDENT
Child (4 years & younger):	FREE	FREE
Youth/Teen (5-17 years):	\$3.00	\$4.50
Adults (18+ years):	\$4.50	\$6.75
Senior (60+ years):	\$4.00	\$6.00
Household*:	\$10.00	\$15.00
Non-Prime (12-3pm, M-F)	\$3.50	\$5.25

\*Daily Admission: Household - 2 Adults and any combination of up to 4 Youth/Teens (under 18) or Full Time Students (25 & under with proof of enrollment). Additional Kiddy Korner fees apply for those 18 mos-7yrs of age.

#### MONTHLY PASS RATES (EFT):

	RESIDENT	NON-RESIDENT
Youth/Teen (5-17 years):	\$16.00	\$24.00
Adults (18+ years):	\$26.00	\$39.00
Senior (60+ years):	\$22.00	\$33.00
Household*:	\$75.00	\$112.50
Non-Prime (12-3pm, M-F)	\$20.00	\$30.00

\*Monthly Pass Rates EFT: Household - 2 Adults and up to any combination of 4 Kiddy Korner (18mos - 7yrs of age), Youth/Teens (under 18) or Full Time Students (25 & under with proof of enrollment). Additional children in the same household receive 25% off Youth/Teen/Student Individual Pass Rate

#### MONTHLY PASS RATES:

	RESIDENT	NON-RESIDENT
Youth/Teen (5-17 years):	\$20.00	\$30.00
Adults (18+ years):	\$35.00	\$52.50
Senior (60+ years):	\$30.00	\$45.00
Senior Walking Pass (60+ years):	\$5.00	\$5.00
Household*:	\$67.00	\$100.50

\*Monthly Pass Rates: Household - 2 Adults and any combination of up to 4 Youth/Teens (under 18) or Full Time Students (25 & under with proof of enrollment). Additional Kiddy Korner fees apply for those 18 mos - 7yrs of age.

#### SIX-MONTH PASS RATES:

	RESIDENT	NON-RESIDENT
Youth/Teen (5-17 years):	\$80.00	\$120.00
Adults (18+ years):	\$130.00	\$195.00
Senior (60+ years):	\$110.00	\$165.00
Household*:	\$335.00	\$502.50

\*Six Month Pass Rates: Household - 2 Adults and up to any combination of 4 Kiddy Korner (18mos - 7yrs of age), Youth/Teens (under 18) or Full Time Students (25 & under with proof of enrollment). Additional children in the same household receive 25% off Youth/Teen/Student Individual Pass Rate

#### ANNUAL PASS RATES:

	RESIDENT	NON-RESIDENT
Youth/Teen (5-17 years):	\$135.00	\$202.50
Adults (18+ years):	\$235.00	\$352.50
Senior (60+ years):	\$200.00	\$300.00
Household*:	\$600.00	\$900.00

\*Annual Pass Rates: Household - 2 Adults and up to any combination of 4 Kiddy Korner (18mos - 7yrs of age), Youth/Teens (under 18) or Full Time Students (25 & under with proof of enrollment). Additional children in the same household receive 25% off Youth/Teen/Student Individual Pass Rate

#### LOCKER RENTAL SERVICE:

Monthly Rental:	\$6.00
Six Month Rental:	\$36.00
Annual Rental:	\$60.00

#### KIDDY KORNER:

*Child watch for ages 18 months-7 years for up to 2 hours. Parent must remain onsite during this time.*

Daily Pass:	\$3.00
Monthly Pass (one child EFT):	\$16.00
Monthly Pass (additional child EFT):	\$16.00
Monthly Pass (one child Non EFT):	\$20.00
Monthly Pass (additional child- Non EFT):	\$16.00

### Gilbert Community Center

*Passes include fitness center use only*

#### DAILY ADMISSION RATES:

	RESIDENT	NON-RESIDENT
Youth/Teen (7-17 years):	\$1.50	\$2.00
Adults (18+ years):	\$2.50	\$3.25
Senior (60+ years):	\$2.00	\$2.50

#### MONTHLY PASS RATES:

	RESIDENT	NON-RESIDENT
Youth/Teen (5-17 years):	\$12.00	\$15.00
Adults (18+ years):	\$18.00	\$22.50
Senior (60+ years):	\$15.00	\$18.75

*Gilbert Community Center monthly passes are honored at McQueen Park Activity Center.*

### McQueen Park Activity Center

*Passes include gymnasium & traverse wall use only*

#### DAILY ADMISSION RATES:

	RESIDENT	NON-RESIDENT
Youth/Teen (7-17 years):	\$1.50	\$2.00
Adults (18+ years):	\$2.50	\$3.25
Senior (60+ years):	\$2.00	\$2.50

#### MONTHLY PASS RATES:

	RESIDENT	NON-RESIDENT
Youth/Teen (5-17 years):	\$12.00	\$15.00
Adults (18+ years):	\$18.00	\$22.50
Senior (60+ years):	\$15.00	\$18.75

*McQueen Park Activity Center monthly passes are honored at Gilbert Community Center.*

Proof of residency is required to receive the resident rate. Acceptable forms include a current utility bill, phone bill or vehicle registration card showing a Gilbert address and a valid Arizona driver's license or state identification card showing a Gilbert address. Without acceptable proof the non-resident rates will apply.





## LIBRARIES

[www.mclidaz.org](http://www.mclidaz.org)



**Perry Library**  
1965 E. Queen Creek Rd.  
602-652-3000  
M-TH 10am-7pm  
F-SAT 10am-4pm  
SUN Closed




**Southeast Regional Library**  
775 N. Greenfield Rd.  
602-652-3000  
M-TH 10am-9pm  
F-SAT 10am-5pm  
SUN 1-5pm



**Friends of the Library**  
775 N. Greenfield Rd.  
480-539-5128  
M-SAT 10am-4pm  
SUN Closed

## POOLS: Open Seasonally May-August

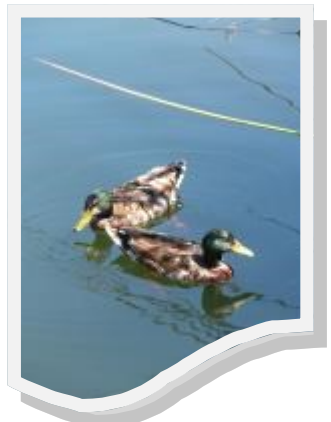
[www.gilbertaz.gov/aquatics](http://www.gilbertaz.gov/aquatics)

























































































































	Aquacise Classes	Concessions/ vending	Diving Boards	Junior Lifeguard Program	Kiddie Slides	Play Features	Private Rentals	Public Swim Sessions	Shade Ramadas	Splash Pad	Swim Lessons	Water Slides	Youth Swim & Dive Teams	Zero Depth Area
<b>Greenfield Pool</b> 35 S. Greenfield Rd. (480) 503-6206	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓		✓	✓		✓		✓	✓
<b>Mesquite Pool</b> 100 W. Mesquite St. (480) 503-6206		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
<b>Perry Pool</b> 1775 E. Queen Creek Rd. (480) 503-6206	✓	✓	✓			✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓
<b>Williams Field Pool</b> 1900 S. Higley Rd. (480) 503-6206	✓	✓				✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓

## RIPARIAN PRESERVES

[www.gilbertaz.gov/riparian preserve](http://www.gilbertaz.gov/riparian%20preserve)

	Barbeque Grills	Camping	Lake/Fishing	Observatory	Picnic Tables	Playground	Restrooms	Shade Ramadas	Vending
<b>Neely Ranch</b> 215 N. Cooper Rd.								✓	
<b>Water Ranch</b> 2757 E. Guadalupe Rd. 	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓



 Lights  Splash Pad  Some Areas Available for Reservations	Amphitheater	Baseball/Softball Fields	Basketball	Batting Cage	Bounce House Area*	Concession/Vending	Dog Park	Equestrian/Multi-use Trail	Lake/Fishing	Multi-Use Fields	Picnic Tables/Barbeque Grills	Playground	Ramadas	Restrooms	Skate Park	Soccer Fields	Tennis Courts	Train Depot & Carousel	Volleyball Courts
Elliot District Park* 4536 E. Elliot Rd.																			
Circle G Park 601 E. Encinas Ave.																			
Cosmo Dog Park* 2502 E. Ray Rd.																			
Crossroads District Park* 2155 E. Knox Rd.																			
Discovery District Park 2214 E. Pecos Rd.																			
Freestone District Park* 1045 E. Juniper Ave.																			
Gilbert Soccer Complex 4260 S. Greenfield Rd.																			
John Allen Park 334 E. Elliot Rd.																			
McQueen District Park 490 N. Horne St.																			
Nichols Park 700 N. Higley Rd.																			
Oak Tree Park 301 W. Houston Ave.																			
Page Park 120 N. Oak St.																			
Sunview Park 1417 N. Sunview Pkwy.																			
Vaughn Avenue Basin 250 W. Vaughn Ave.																			
Veterans Park 70 W. Park Ave.																			
Villa Madeira Park 900 N. Pine St.																			
Village II Park 125 E. Heather Ave.																			
Vista Alegre Park 1145 N. Elm St.																			
Water Tower Plaza 45 W. Page Ave.																			
Zanjero Park 3785 S. Lindsay Rd.																			

- \* **ELLIOT DISTRICT PARK HOME OF BIG LEAGUE DREAMS:** This facility is not managed by the Town of Gilbert. Please call 480-813-1270 for information.
- \* **BOUNCE HOUSE AREAS:** We allow bounce houses in our parks where designated with a reservation. An insurance certificate from the inflatable company will be required and the smaller parks will need a generator to operate the inflatables.
- \* **COSMO DOG PARK-The OFF LEASH** areas will be closed each Tuesday morning until noon for routine maintenance.
- \* **CROSSROADS PARK:** Home of AZ Ice (480-503-7080). AZ Ice offers 10%-20% discount for regular priced programs, entrance fees and birthday parties for Gilbert Residents. Also, check out the Recreation Learn to Skate classes offered inside this guide.
- \* **FREESTONE PARK:** The SKATE PARK is closed the first Tuesday of every month for routine maintenance. Home of the Freestone Railroad\* (480-632-2702) and the RIP City Batting Cages\*(480-497-9548). *\*Not operated or managed by the Town of Gilbert, please contact them for more information.*





## COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS

### Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)

The Town of Gilbert complies with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). For accommodations, please call (480) 503-6200.

### Community Resources

For more information on Social Service, Housing Assistance, and Fair Housing please visit our website:

[www.gilbertaz.gov/residents/housing-community-development](http://www.gilbertaz.gov/residents/housing-community-development)

### Gilbert Assistance Program (GAP)

A scholarship program is available to help economically disadvantaged children (age 17 and under) enroll in recreation programming or to obtain facility memberships. To apply for a scholarship for your child(ren), please contact the Gilbert Parks and Recreation office at (480) 503-6200 M-TH from 7am-6pm. You can click [here](#) to download form.



## Get Out and Play



**Neighbor 2 Neighbor**

Working together to help those in need.

The Town of Gilbert developed the Neighbor 2 Neighbor Program to provide an easy way for Gilbert residents to help one another. 100% of funds donated are distributed to non-profit agencies that provide assistance to Gilbert's low-income families, individuals, disabled, seniors and at-risk youth. Gilbert residents can sign up to include a donation amount from \$2.00 to \$20.00 a month included with their utility bill. One time donations can also be made.

To find out more about the Neighbor 2 Neighbor Donation Program, go to the [www.gilbertaz.gov/utilities](http://www.gilbertaz.gov/utilities) or call 480-503-6800. Sign up now to assist a Gilbert neighbor in need. By making a minimum donation, your contribution can help:

- Provide nutritious meals in food boxes.
- Transport elderly homebound residents to medical appointments.
- Provide safe shelter for a homeless individual or family.
- Provide an emergency rent payment to prevent eviction and homelessness.
- Provide after school activities for Gilbert youth while their parents are at work.

### School District Contact Information

Chandler Public Schools	<a href="http://www.chandler.k12.az.us">www.chandler.k12.az.us</a>
Gilbert Public Schools	<a href="http://www.gilbertschools.net">www.gilbertschools.net</a>
Higley Unified School District	<a href="http://www.husd.org">www.husd.org</a>

## Gilbert Sports Coalitions

**PLEASE NOTE:** Gilbert Parks and Recreation Department does not manage these programs.

This information is provided as a courtesy. Please contact the organizations directly for program information.

American Youth Soccer Organization	<a href="http://www.ayso688.org">www.ayso688.org</a>
Arizona Soccer Club	<a href="http://www.arizonasoccerclub.com">www.arizonasoccerclub.com</a>
Coast to Coast Football	<a href="http://www.coast2coastfootball.com">www.coast2coastfootball.com</a>
Gilbert American Little League	<a href="http://www.gilbertlittleleague.com">www.gilbertlittleleague.com</a>
Gilbert Boys and Girls Club	<a href="http://www.clubzona.org">www.clubzona.org</a>
Gilbert National Little League	<a href="http://www.eteamz.com/gnll">www.eteamz.com/gnll</a>
Gilbert Softball Little League	<a href="http://www.azgsll.org">www.azgsll.org</a>
Gilbert Pop Warner Youth Cheer	<a href="http://www.gilbertchandlerpopwarner.org">www.gilbertchandlerpopwarner.org</a>
Gilbert Pop Warner Youth Football	<a href="http://www.gilbertchandlerpopwarner.org">www.gilbertchandlerpopwarner.org</a>
Gilbert Youth Soccer Association	<a href="http://www.azgysa.com">www.azgysa.com</a>
Southeast Diamondbacks Little League	<a href="http://www.eteamz.com/sediamondbacks">www.eteamz.com/sediamondbacks</a>

## INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY

Severe weather may result in field/park closures. For the most up-to-date information about these closures, call our Gilbert Parks and Recreation main information line at (480) 503-6201.

PRESS 1 GILBERT SPONSORED ADULT SPORTS  
PRESS 2 GILBERT SPONSORED YOUTH SPORTS  
PRESS 3 GILBERT PARKS AND SPORTS FACILITIES



## REGISTER TODAY...



Click

Register for all  
Adult Sports at  
[www.GilbertREcreation.com](http://www.GilbertREcreation.com)

YOUTH and ADULT SPORTS

Sport	Registration Date	Start Date	Fee
Softball Men's Co-Ed Women's	Dec 13-Jan 12 Or until league fills	22-Jan	\$585 Doubleheaders \$370 Singleheaders
Softball Tournaments New Year's Bash	Open until Jan 5	7-Jan	\$250
Basketball Men's Upper B Men's Intermediate C Men's Lower D	Dec 13-Jan 12 Or until league fills	22-Jan	\$495
Volleyball Co-Ed Upper B Co-Ed Upper A	Dec 13-Jan 12 Or until league fills	22-Jan	\$280



## 2017 YOUTH BALL PROGRAM

### Registration Begins 1/3/17

ON-LINE REGISTRATION: 1/3-1/22

MAIL-IN REGISTRATION: 1/3-1/21

WALK-IN REGISTRATION: 2/6-2/16

The Gilbert Parks and Recreation Department offers a Youth Ball Program to all boys & girls who are interested in playing the game of softball, baseball or T-ball for the fun of the sport. This is an instructional recreation program that emphasizes fun, skill development, and team unity.

The season runs April 3-May 11, 2017

Five divisions offered:

Boys & Girls T-Ball 4-6 yrs.

Boys Coach Pitch Baseball 7-9 yrs.

Girls Coach Pitch Softball 7-9 yrs.

Boys Baseball 10-12 yrs.

Girls Slow Pitch Softball 10-12 yrs.



## STORYTIME WITH ELSA

Come see the ice queen as she sings your favorite tunes, plays fun games, and reads a story! All you little princes and princesses will love playing games, singing along and doing crafts with the queen of Arendale! Don't forget your cameras to capture the moment.

Saturday, January 21st

10-11am at the

Gilbert Community Center  
130 North Oak Street  
Gilbert, 85233

Cost is \$5 per child

one adult per child may attend for free.

Ages 2-17 Years

Registration Required.

Visit [GilbertRecreation.com](http://GilbertRecreation.com) and enter code:

5142

For more information or questions, please call 480-503-6290

## Father Daughter Dance

*Come dance the night away with dad, grandpa, uncle or other family friend at the father-daughter dance!*

When: Friday, February 3rd

Time: 6:30-9pm

Where: The Gilbert Community Center

Ages: 1-19 Years

Cost: \$35 per couple (Code: 5141)

\$5 each additional daughter (Code: 5469)

Pre-registration is required.

For more information please call the Gilbert Community Center at 480-503-6290

# RIPARIAN After DARK

## December 9-10 and 16-17

### Gilbert Riparian Preserve

Stroll through the Riparian and enjoy  
holiday music,  
light displays & luminaries

Free Admission with suggested donation to our event partners:

December 9- Non-Perishable Food- Open Arms

December 10 - Dog Food/Supplies- Maricopa Animal Rescues

December 16- Childrens Toys- Gilbert Fire and Rescue

December 17 -Baby Supplies/Non-Perishable Food- House of Refuge

**For additional information**

**call 480-503-6200 or**

**visit the website at [www.gilbertaz.gov/RAD](http://www.gilbertaz.gov/RAD)**

# Gilbert Outdoors Expo

**Gilbert Riparian Preserve**

**Presented By:**

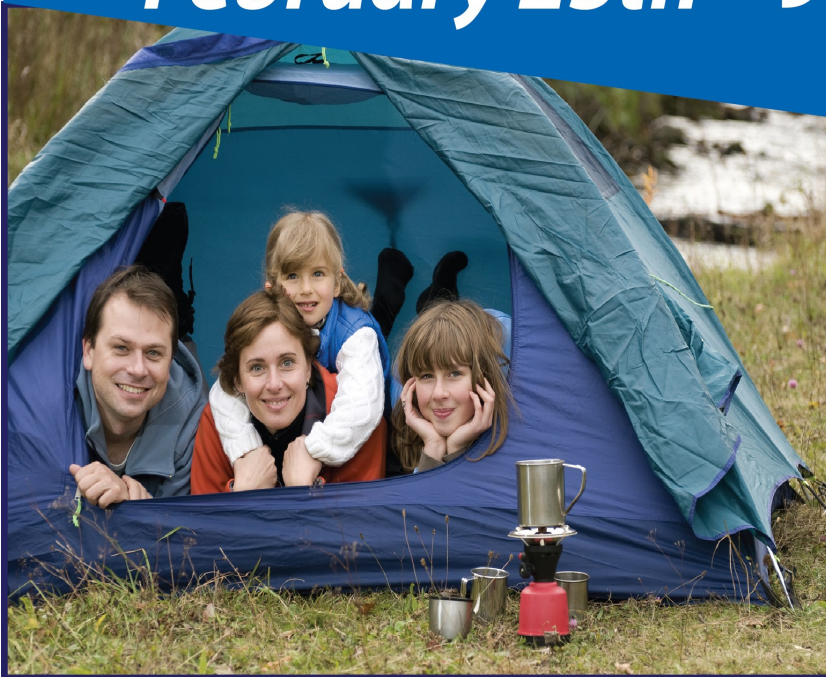


**Banner Health Center**

**OFFERING SOME OF THE BEST OUTDOOR  
LEISURE ACTIVITIES IN THE VALLEY**

**February 25th - 9am-2pm**

*Save the Date!*



Fishing  
Hiking Tips  
Birding  
Sky Watch/Observatory  
Scout Badge Workshops  
Reptiles-Hands On  
Wildlife Education  
Golf Demos  
... and more

*Call* (480)503-6200 or visit  
**WWW.GILBERTAZ.GOV/OUTDOORS**





GILBERT PARKS & RECREATION

# New Registration System

New Accounts Required

# SIGN UP TODAY!

[gilbertrecreation.com](http://gilbertrecreation.com)

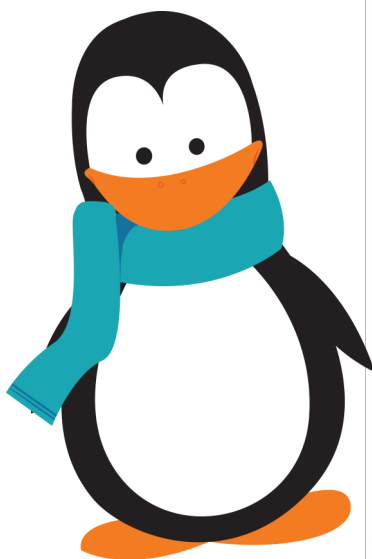


**HAVE YOUR NEXT BIRTHDAY PARTY AT  
Freestone Recreation Center**

We are a 50,000 sq foot recreation facility equipped with a 42' rock climbing wall, gymnasium, racquetball courts and game tables (table tennis, foosball and billiards). With each birthday party package, you and your guests will have access to these amenities **PLUS** you get to leave the set up and clean up to us! Give us a call and we'll make your child's party unforgettable.

Call us today!  
**Freestone Recreation Center**  
 1141 E Guadalupe Road  
 480-503-6202  
<http://www.gilbertaz.gov/parks/popups/freestonerecctr.cfm>

**GILBERT  
FREESTONE  
RECREATION CENTER**




**Now Hiring!**

We're looking for energetic, reliable, fun-loving people to join our team! If you have a special talent and teaching experience that you'd like to share with us, apply online at [www.gilbertaz.gov/hr](http://www.gilbertaz.gov/hr).



## STORYTIME ADVENTURES with BEAR

Adventures are held the  
**2<sup>ND</sup> FRIDAY** of EVERY MONTH  
**10am & 10:30am** (seatings available)  
(No registration necessary)



Grab your best stuffed friend and join us for a classic children's story. Each month we will set out on a new adventure through the pages of our books and create a story inspired craft.

The pages turn at the McQueen Park Activity Center  
510 N Home St. (480) 503-6294

## FUN ZONE

AUGUST 3, 2016 - MAY 23, 2017  
Monday - Friday 3:45-6pm  
Monthly Registration Required

A safe, enriching place for your child to come to after school!

- Daily Homework Time
- Special Events & Themed Days
- Arts & Crafts
- Sports & Games
- And so much more!

**\$50  
Per Month**

Registration available for  
2016-17 school year!

August Barcode:	90514
September Barcode:	90515
October Barcode:	90516
November Barcode:	90517
December Barcode:	90518
January Barcode:	90519
February Barcode:	90520
March Barcode:	90521
April Barcode:	90522
May Barcode:	90523

Register online: [GilbertRecreation.com](http://GilbertRecreation.com)



**PLAY**



**LAUGH**



**FUN!**

### FOR MORE INFORMATION

**Call** (480) 503-6294  
McQueen Park Activity Center  
510 N. Home St., Gilbert

**Click**  
[gilbertaz.gov/funzone](http://gilbertaz.gov/funzone)  
forms available on our websites



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Purchasing Advertising Space

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visit us at

[www.mygprf.org](http://www.mygprf.org)

Become a Friend



Of the Foundation



Interested in becoming a member of the  
Board of Directors??

Email:

[jennifer.lauria@gilbertaz.gov](mailto:jennifer.lauria@gilbertaz.gov)

## VOLUNTEER with the Town of Gilbert Parks and Recreation

**Volunteers are needed  
in the following areas:**

- Special Events
- Recreation Centers
- Parks and Trails Maintenance
- Adaptive Recreation Programs
- Riparian Preserve
- Court-Ordered Community Service
- Scout Programs



To sign up for a volunteer opportunity go to:

<http://gilbertaz.gov/volunteer-parks>

## Personal Training at the Freestone Recreation Center

### Why YOU Need a Personal Trainer:

- ✓ You want motivation and accountability
- ✓ You want to be challenged
- ✓ You are not seeing results and need a jump start
- ✓ You are not reaching your goals
- ✓ You are new to exercise
- ✓ You are training for a sport or an event

### Personal Training Pricing:

Each personal training session is approximately one-hour in length. Sessions may be purchased in packages of 2, 5, 10 or 20 and can be used over a period of time determined by the trainer and the client.

2 sessions	\$ 77.00	(\$38.50 per session)
5 sessions	\$181.50	(\$36.30 per session)
10 sessions	\$341.00	(\$34.10 per session)
20 sessions	\$638.00	(\$31.90 per session)



To schedule a personal training session, register at the Guest Services Desk. Your trainer will contact you by phone to get you started.

Freestone Recreation Center: 1141 E. Guadalupe Rd  
Gilbert, AZ 85234 (480) 503-6202

## Calling All Artists...



To participate in the  
Rotating Art Program at  
the Southeast Regional  
Library!

Display your art for the hundreds of patrons visiting our library lobby everyday. It's a great way to share and show off your beautiful works of art. Our goal is to have a new exhibitor every month. Put in your application today!

We are looking for any type of artwork that can be displayed on our hanging picture mounting system including: photography, painting, mixed media, pen, pencil, pastels, etc. General submission/installation guidelines do apply. For more information and to complete the Rotating Art Exhibit Application go to [Gilbertaz.gov](http://Gilbertaz.gov) or call 480-503-6256.

We are proud to showcase local artists, promote art awareness and foster art education!

Connect with us!

[/GilbertParksRec](https://www.facebook.com/GilbertParksRec) [@GilbertParksRec](https://www.instagram.com/GilbertParksRec)



## SPARK ★ SPOT

SPARK Spot is an innovative and collaborative space uniquely designed for Gilbert-based entrepreneurs.

- Free Business Workshops
- Access to Development Resources
- Mentor Program
- Business Assistance
- Free WiFi
- Meeting Room Reservation



SPARK Spot is located in the Southeast Regional Library  
775 North Greenfield Road, Gilbert, AZ 85234

Find the ASU Startup School class schedule and more information at:  
[www.gilbertedi.com/spark.php](http://www.gilbertedi.com/spark.php)



## ADAPTIVE RECREATION OVERVIEW

The Gilbert Parks & Recreation Adaptive Recreation Program strives to provide a comfortable, inviting, educational, and social environment where participants can learn and interact with others. The goal is to provide the best opportunities for participants to enrich their lives.

## ADAPTIVE RECREATION CLASSES

new!

## BEGINNING SIGN LANGUAGE

Come learn the basics of American Sign Language! This course will teach basic grammar and Deaf culture lessons as well as lay the foundation of communication in ASL. Subjects such as the alphabet, colors, animals, foods and more will be discussed. This class is designed specifically for persons with special needs. Can't come every week? Pay as you go. You must RSVP to guarantee your spot, no exceptions! Participants should be able to follow simple directions.

## 14+ YEARS

5306 T 1/10-3/7 6:6:50pm CC \$45/\$5 per week

Instructor: Lauren Cantrell

## COOKING 101-ADAPTIVE RECREATION

In your cooking class, we will provide easy to follow recipes that are fun to make and fast to put together. We will also learn basic kitchen safety tips. How-to instructions will be provided each week to re-create at home. Bring home the skills to be a great chef! The possibilities are endless! This class is specifically designed for persons with special needs. **Participants should be able to follow simple directions. You must register for this class, drop-in not allowed for this class.**

## 12+ YEARS

5063 W 1/11-3/8 4:30-5:30pm CC \$84

Instructor: Pam Jackson

## HANDMADE CRAFTS

Come have fun with your friends while making a new craft each week. Each handmade craft will be a great keepsake item for yourself or to give as a gift. *This class is designed specifically for persons with special needs.* Can't come every week? Pay as you go. **You must RSVP to guarantee your spot, no exceptions! Participants should be able to follow simple directions.**

## 12+ YEARS

5035 T 1/10-3/7 4:30-5:30pm CC \$45/\$5 per week

Instructor: Gilbert Staff

## RECREATION BOWLING

Individuals with special needs 8 years and older are encouraged to join in the fun of bowling. Taking part in this sport provides individuals the chance to develop physical fitness, self-confidence and build strong relationships. Those needing extra supervision must provide his/her own aide. Register in advance to guarantee your bowling lane. Can't come every week; pay as you go. *Practices will be held at Brunswick Zone XL; 1160 S. Gilbert Rd.* **Register early space is limited! All bowlers must register or RSVP to guarantee space no exceptions!**

## 8+ YEARS

5146 TH 1/12-3/9 4:30-5:30pm BZ \$45/\$5 per week

Instructor: Gilbert Staff

## SANCHIN-RYU KARATE FOR PERSONS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS

Have fun learning the fundamental movements of Sanchin-Ryu. Benefits include: enhanced balance and coordination, improved motor skills, enhanced communication skills and useful self-defense techniques. Students study in a fun, high-energy, non-competitive environment. **Participants must be able to follow simple directions. Please wear comfortable clothing that does not restrict movement.**

## 10+ YEARS

5150 M 1/9-3/6\* 4:30-5:30pm CC \$35

Instructor: Sanchin-Ryu Staff **\*No Class 1/16 & 2/20**

## SPECIAL OLYMPICS BASKETBALL

Players will learn to appreciate the fundamental skills (dribbling, passing, shooting, rebounding) required to play basketball by participating in drills that they can continue to work independently. Every player will work hard, learn to be competitive, and have fun in preparation for future basketball play. Players will learn the importance of teamwork and good sportsmanship and how both are paramount to their future success both on and off the court. *Practice will be held at Gilbert Elementary, 175 W Elliot Rd, Gilbert, AZ 85233.*

## 14+ YEARS

5147 F 1/13-3/10 6:15-7:45pm GL \$45/\$5 per week

Instructor: Kenneth Mims

## SPECIAL OLYMPICS CHEER &amp; DANCE

Let's Go Gilbert! Join our gold medal team and have a blast learning cheers, chants, and dances! Cheerleaders will have the opportunity to participate in the Special Olympics Cheer competition in February. This activity gives participants a chance to belong to a team, make new friends, increase coordination and enhance self-esteem. Can't come every week? Pay as you go. **You must RSVP to guarantee your spot, no exceptions! Participants should be able to follow simple directions.**

## 12+ YEARS

5148 T 1/10-3/7 4:30-6pm CC \$45/\$5 per week

Instructor: Jennifer Myers

## THERAPEUTIC RECREATION HORSEMANSHIP

These classes are geared to each rider as an individual and are aimed toward their own abilities. With the help of certified instructors and volunteers, students gain a feeling of personal accomplishment and a freedom of movement they cannot experience in a wheelchair or other aiding devices. Most importantly, riders can benefit physically, emotionally and mentally through interaction with the horses, instructors, volunteers and fellow students. **Students under 18 must have parent/guardian sign a liability waiver at first class.** *These classes take place at Valley Silver Bullets (VSB), located at 43757 N. Coyote Rd. San Tan Valley, AZ 85140.*

## 6+ YEARS

5230 M 1/9-3/13 6-7pm VSB \$195

Instructor: Valley Silver Bullets Staff





## ZUMBA

This is a slower paced cardio workout designed for beginners and those with physical limitations. Easy to follow dance steps are set to unique Latin dance music to help maximize caloric output with fun, fat burning movements. This class increases skills in coordination, balance, discipline, memory, and movement. Can't come every week? Pay as you go. **You must RSVP to guarantee your spot, no exceptions! Participants should be able to follow simple directions.**

### 13+ YEARS

5145 M 1/9-3/6\* 5-6pm CC \$35/\$5 per week  
Instructor: Michelle Dulansky **\*No Class 1/16 & 2/20**

## EVENTS

## KARAOKE

It's here again! Warm up those vocal chords and get those dance moves ready because it's karaoke time! Enjoy a night of singing, dancing and socializing with your friends. Food and drinks will be served.

### 12+ YEARS

5358 F 1/20 6-9pm CC \$5

## SWEETHEART DANCE

Love is in the air! Come with your special someone or enjoy this dance with your friends. There will be food, drinks, and of course CANDY! This is a semi-formal event so dress to impress and go home with a photo to remember the evening!

### 12+ YEARS

5144 F 2/10 6-9pm CC \$5

## MOVIE AT THE COMMUNITY CENTER

Sit back, relax, and enjoy a movie on the big screen! We will have pizza, popcorn, and drinks! Movie is TBA and will be shown on the big screen inside of the Gilbert Community Center.

### 12+ YEARS

5363 F 3/17 6:30-8:30pm CC \$5

## Join Our Parks & Recreation Mailing List!



Click [HERE](#) to subscribe to receive the latest newsletters, updates and information about our programs and events sent straight to your inbox.

## WEDNESDAY NIGHT SOCIAL NIGHT

Join us once a month as we get together for a social hour with friends! We will play bingo, sing karaoke, boogie to the top hits, and more as we spend some time getting to know each other. *The Town of Gilbert will no longer be providing snacks for social nights, please contact the Community Center at 480-503-6290 if you would like to donate a snack. FREE!!*

Registration is appreciated.

### 12+ YEARS

5494	W	1/11	6-7pm	CC	FREE	BINGO
5495	W	2/15	6-7pm	CC	FREE	KARAOKE
5496	W	3/8	6-7pm	CC	FREE	SOCK HOP

## COMMUNITY OUTINGS

### JANUARY

## ODYSEA AQUARIUM

Dive into the deep blue sea with us on this exciting field trip to the brand new Odysea Aquarium. Sharks, turtles and fancy fish are just a few of the wonderful creatures you will get up close and personal with at the aquarium. We will get lunch at the Lighthouse Café inside the aquarium, so bring an additional 10-15 dollars for food. Sign up for this field trip will be from 12/13-1/20, no registrations will be taken after this date. **Transportation is provided and is limited to 20 passengers. Participants are welcome to join us at Odysea Aquarium once the van is full. Registration is required to receive group pricing.**

### 14+ YEARS

5361 F 1/27 9am-3pm CC \$25

### FEBRUARY

## RENAISSANCE FESTIVAL

Join us as we travel back in time to place where there are turkey legs a plenty and the belly laughs are never ending! We will spend the day watching comedy and jousting shows, eating delicious foods, and enjoying the renaissance festivities! **Transportation is provided and is limited to 20 passengers. Participants are welcome to join us at The Renaissance Festival once the van is full. Registration is required to receive group pricing.**

### 14+ YEARS

5362 SAT 2/25 9:15am-5pm CC \$21

### MARCH

## TOP GOLF

Come play a fun game of golf without having to walk 18 holes! Price includes two hours of golf and unlimited soft drinks. Please bring money for food. **Transportation is provided and is limited to 20 passengers. Participants are welcome to join us at Top Golf once the van is full. Registration is required to receive group pricing.**

### 12+ YEARS

5364 F 3/24 9:30am-12:30pm CC \$15

### BASKETBALL CAMP

This camp is intended to teach boys and girls the fundamentals of basketball. Ball handling skills such as dribbling, passing and shooting will be learned during practice drills and game time. Good sportsmanship, teamwork and appropriate classroom behavior are encouraged.

#### 9-12 YEARS

90881 T/W/TH 12/27-12/29 8-8:45am FRC \$17

Instructor: Kelli Morgan

### BOUNCE BOOT CAMP WINTER BREAK CAMP

Founded by a former NFL player, Bounce Boot Camp is the FIRST company in the world that combines the fun of inflatable obstacle courses, castles, and slides into an amazingly fun program for everyone. Bounce Boot Camp puts the “fun” back into fitness and will create a memorable experience for all ages and groups. Bouncing in the inflatable equipment is not only fun, it has been shown to improve cardiovascular health, core strength, balance, and coordination.

#### 5-14 YEARS

90921 T/TH 12/27 & 12/29 10-11:30am FPARK \$35

Instructor: Ricky Muro

### ELLA’S DISCOVERIES MINI COOKING CAMP

At Ella’s Discoveries each class has an exciting theme, so get the kids cooking healthy and imaginative meals. We’ll create savory and sweet recipes, enjoy food facts and try at home recipes too! This hands-on cooking camp is hosted by food and consumer affairs writer, test kitchen manager, radio show journalist, certified kitchen Manager, cookbook author and culinary instructor Pam Jackson. **A \$15 Supply fee will be collected by the instructor at the beginning of class. Not recommended for children with food allergies.**

12/27 Pirates of the Caribbean 101 - Mango Chicken Burgers, Hearts of Palm Salad, Banana Fritters

12/28 Pizza 101 - Homemade Pizza Sauce, Texas Toast Garlic Bread Pizza, Mexican Tortilla Pizza

12/29 BBQ 101 - Stuffed Doritos Burgers, Barbecue Green Beans, Summer Sand Pudding

12/30 Casual Dinner with Friends - Three-Pepper Pork Cutlets, Rice Pilaf, Fried Apples, Broccoli Spears

#### 11-16 YEARS

90925 T-F 12/27-12/30 3-5pm CC \$80

Instructor: Pam Jackson

### GOLF JUNIOR CAMP

This class is great for both beginner and intermediate levels. Junior golfers will learn a proper pre-shot routine then jump right into the full swing. Chipping, pitching, putting and driver swing will follow. *Western Skies Golf Club (WS) is located at 1245 E. Warner Rd., Gilbert, AZ 85296.*

#### 4-7 YEARS

90851 T-TH 12/27-12/29 9-10am WS \$65

#### 6-9 YEARS

90852 T-TH 12/27-12/29 9-10am WS \$65

#### 10-16 YEARS

90853 T-TH 12/27-12/29 9-10am WS \$65

Instructor: Mike Arrigoni, PGA

### HOGWARTS HOLIDAY CAMP

Welcome to Hogwarts Holiday Camp. Over the next four days we’ll be learning about wizarding in the new world. Ilvermorny School of Witchcraft and Wizardry is housed in the United States of America. You’ll learn about its history and its houses. You’ll have an opportunity to learn about new and unique magical creatures. Activities in this camp include making your own potions, making an American wizarding wand and bringing the world alive with storytelling and readers theatre experiences.

#### 9-12 YEARS

90928 T-F 12/27-12/30 10am-1pm SERL \$149

Instructor: Pop Goes the Classroom Staff

### JUNIOR RANGER CAMP

Junior Rangers help to preserve and protect our parks, playgrounds and trails. They learn about nature and history, have fun exploring the parks with the Town of Gilbert Park Rangers. This is an one week program and participant will receive a Junior Ranger badge upon completion! Locations will vary with the first class taking place at Freestone Park.

#### 6-11 YEARS

90622 T-F 12/27-12/30 8:30am-10am Riparian \$55

Instructor: Riparian Staff

### VOLLEYBALL CLINIC

Introduce and review basic volleyball skills: bump, set, spike, and serve. Learn the game through drills and skill instruction. *Participants need to wear tennis shoes and may bring their own volleyball to class each day.*

#### 9-12 YEARS

90882 T/W/TH 12/27-12/29 9-9:45am FRC \$17

Instructor: Kelli Morgan

### WINTER BREAK CAMP AT THE PRESERVE

Get closer to nature at the Riparian Preserve’s school break camp. Spend time outdoors and indoors learning about the wildlife and plants of desert and riparian areas through hikes, scientific digs, experiments, learning games, and craft activities. Topics are adjusted seasonally and include the Sonoran Desert, pond life, birds, bugs, archaeology, paleontology (dinosaurs), fishing, astronomy, plants, water, reptiles, and more.

#### 5-11 YEARS

90615 M-TH 12/27-12/30 8:30am-12pm Riparian \$60

Instructor: Riparian Staff



## EDUROBOTEC LEGO® BUILDING & ROBOTICS CAMPS

**Everybody loves LEGOS®!** These camps focus on teaching children basic computer skills and concepts, basic programming, creative problem solving, concentration & perseverance, critical thinking, cooperation, confidence, designing, planning & organizing, teamwork, communication, and independent thinking. Learning the fun way!

### BUILDING FUNDAMENTALS "MACHINES & MECHANISMS"

Explore machines and mechanisms using LEGO™ Educational building systems. This class focuses on basic concepts behind structures, forces, levers, wheels, axles, gears, pulleys, and energy sources. Children explore problem-solving activities designed to solve tasks related to mechanical principles.

#### 5-7 YEARS

90624 M-F 12/19-12/23 9am-12pm SERL \$120  
Instructor: Mr. B

### ADVANCED BUILDING "SIMPLE & ADVANCED MACHINES"

Advanced exploration of complex machines using LEGO™ Educational building systems. This class focuses on advanced building concepts: rack/pinion, transmission, differential gears, and investigate motorized machines. Children explore problem-solving activities designed to solve tasks related to advanced mechanical principles.

#### 7-12 YEARS

90623 M-F 12/19-12/23 1-4pm SERL \$120  
Instructor: Mr. B

### COMPLEX BUILDING "ADVANCED & COMPLEX MACHINES"

Further exploration of advanced and complex machines using LEGO™ Educational STEM building systems. This class focuses on complex building concepts with axles, differential gears, renewable energy sources, forces, gears, levers, pulleys, structures, wheels, rack/pinion, transmission, and investigate multiple motorized machines controlled by IR Remote controls.

#### 8-16 YEARS

90631 T-F 12/27-12/30 1-4pm SERL \$112  
Instructor: Mr. B

### EV3 ROBOTS 3.0 LEGO® EDUCATIONAL NXT-MINDSTORM™

New LEGO™ Education EV3 MINDSTORMS® Advanced robotic design and concepts. This curriculum supports intermediate to advanced robotics students with a dual emphasis on programming and standards based on academic STEM concepts. Each of the projects begins with a robotics research prototype in which students are guided step by step through the building and programming of a new robot behavior using LEGO® MINDSTORMS® Education EV3. Afterwards they follow up their prototype work with a robotics investigation in which the students experiment with the robots motors, sensors, and programming to learn how robots really work.

#### 7-14 YEARS

90639 T-F 12/27-12/30 9am-12pm SERL \$112  
Instructor: Mr. B

## YOUTH TECH INC. CAMPS

Youth Tech Inc. is an interactive computer camp that focuses on providing enrichment opportunities to students in the world of computers. With a caring environment at the core of camp values, Youth Tech strives to create a positive learning community that encourages creativity, fun and academic excellence. Each participant will receive a T-Shirt and CD. For more information about Youth Tech Inc. please visit our web site at [www.youthtechinc.com](http://www.youthtechinc.com).

### 3D GAME DESIGN

Video Game Design is suggested prior to taking this course. This class offers and interactive look at the world of 3D Game Design. This awesome 3D video game design course offers the chance for students to create and immerse themselves in a 3D world. If you are looking to design professional 3D games that both look and feel just like the ones you play at home, then you don't want to miss this course. *Please bring a sack lunch. A \$10 supply fee will be collected by the instructor on the first day of camp.*

#### 10-17 YEARS

90655 TH-F 12/29-12/30 9am-4pm SERL \$155  
Instructor: Youth Tech Inc. Staff

### THE GAMING ACADEMY

The Gaming Academy is an all-day course for students who love games. During this course students will be immersed into the world of 2D and 3D game design. The Gaming Academy is a combination of our Video Game Design, Advanced Game Design and 3D Game Design courses. The course offers students a variety of hands on experience designing and building their very own games. *Please bring a sack lunch. A \$10 supply fee will be collected by the instructor on the first day of camp.*

#### 10-17 YEARS

90930 T-F 12/27-12/30 9am-4pm SERL \$305  
Instructor: Youth Tech Inc. Staff

### VIDEO GAME DESIGN

This course provides students with a fun interactive look at the world of video game design and development. Students enrolled in this camp will learn the basics of video game design and produce several different interactive video games to share with their friends and family. *Please bring a sack lunch. A \$10 supply fee will be collected by the instructor on the first day of camp.*

#### 10-17 YEARS

90649 T/W 12/27-12/28 9am-4pm SERL \$160  
Instructor: Youth Tech Inc. Staff

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## WINTER BREAK CAMPS



**December 27th - 30th  
January 3rd - 4th**



Join the Kidz Kamp Leaders for some Cool fun as we celebrate the Winter season and all that it has to offer. Camp selections include Full Week Camp, Daily Rates, Pit Stop Lunch and Overtime. Each day your camper will enjoy a variety of activities such as arts & crafts, science experiments, board games, active play, and rock wall climbing. Kidz Kamp is for kids age 5-12 years old.



**Daily Rates - \$13**

Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
27	28	29	30
AM 91045 PM 91046	AM 91047 PM 91067	AM 91048 PM 91049	AM 91050 PM 91051
Jan 3	Jan 4	Jan 5	Jan 6
AM 91052 PM 91053	AM 91054 PM 91055	NO KAMP	NO KAMP

**Four Day Camp - \$44** \*No Kamp 12/26

Offered in two daily sessions, morning and afternoon.

**9:00am-12:00pm**

91041 TU-F 12/27-12/30\*

**1:00-4:00pm**

91042 TU-F 12/27-12/30\*

**Two Day Camp - \$22** \*No Kamp 1/2

**9:00am-12:00pm**

91043 TU-W 1/3-1/4\*

**1:00-4:00pm**

91044 TU-W 1/3-1/4\*

### Pit Stop Lunch

Pit stop lunch is from 12-1pm. Campers must bring in a sack lunch. Please note a refrigerator and microwave are not available, please plan your child's lunch accordingly.

91056	TU-F	12/27-12/30*	12-1pm	\$12
91061	TU-W	1/3-1/4	12-1pm	\$6



### Overtime

Overtime is available up to one hour before and/or after Kamp.

**8:00-9:00am - \$12**

91057 TU-F 12/27-12/30\*

**4:00-5:00pm - \$12**

91059 TU-F 12/27-12/30\*

**8:00-9:00am - \$6**

91058 TU-W 1/3-1/4\*

**4:00-5:00pm - \$6**

91060 TU-W 1/3-1/4\*

## WRESTLING CAMP

### 27<sup>th</sup> Annual Holiday Wrestling Camp

Wrestling camp for beginners and experienced wrestlers 5 years-8<sup>th</sup> grade. Sponsored by the Gilbert Parks and Recreation Department and conducted by Campo Verde High School Varsity Wrestling Coach, Chris Bishop. The format for the camp is three days of instruction followed by match day for the camp finale. Each participant will receive ribbons for each match wrestled and be eligible for the Braiden Rainey Sportsmanship Award. A camp T-shirt is included! *This camp will take place at Campo Verde High School Mini-Gym located at 3870 S Quartz Street, Gilbert AZ 85297. Full Credit or refund through December 27th. No refunds or credits after December 27th.*

**5-6 YEARS (K-1<sup>st</sup> grades 2016-17 school year, must be 5 years by 12/27)**

91008 M-TH 12/27-12/30 9-9:45am CV \$41

**6-8 YEARS (2<sup>nd</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> grades 2016-17 school year)**

91009 M-TH 2/27-12/30 9:55-10:45am CV \$41

**8-11 YEARS (4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grades 2016-17 school year)**

91010 M-TH 12/27-12/30 10:55-11:55am CV \$41

**12-14 YEARS (7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grades 2016-17 school year)**

91011 M-TH 12/27-12/30 12-1:15pm CV \$41





... Where kids go for FUN!



Reserve your spot for a week full of fun!

- \* Physical activities \* Active and sedentary games \* Crafts \*
- \* Educational fun \* Rock wall climb \*
- \* For kids age 5-12yrs old \*

AM Session 9am-12pm PM Session 1pm-4pm  
Pit Stop Lunch and Overtime Available

March 13-17th

Join us for the whole week or sign up for the day.

New registration software allows you to customize your child's camp schedule.

Cost: \$13/day (AM or PM) or \$55/week  
Overtime/Pitstop lunch: \$4/day or \$15/week

[www.GilbertRecreation.com](http://www.GilbertRecreation.com)

For more information contact  
Freestone Recreation Center 480-503-6202



1141 E Guadalupe Road Gilbert, AZ 85234  
Between Lindsay and Val Vista

new!

### FAIRYTALE PRINCESS DANCE CAMP

Your child will be enchanted by visits from the Fairytale Princesses each day as they dance along to their favorite songs. Curriculum includes ballet, tap and jazz at a professional dance studio. Princess costumes are provided or wear your own! *Desert Star Dance (DSD) is located at 1020 E. Ray Rd. Suite 7 Chandler, 85225.*

3-7 YEARS

5274 M-TH 3/13-3/16 10am-12pm DSD \$84  
Instructor: Desert Star Dance Staff

new!

### JAZZY DANCE CAMP

Does your youngster love to dance? We have a perfect fun camp for your future star! Basic ballet, jazz and hip hop steps will be taught. Kids will have fun lip syncing while dancing to their favorite tunes. All music is clean and age appropriate.

3-6 YEARS

5501 M-F 3/13-3/17 9-10am SERL \$27

7-11 YEARS

5504 M-F 3/13-3/17 10:15am-12:15pm SERL \$52

12-16 YEARS

5505 M-F 3/13-3/17 12:30-2:30pm SERL \$52

Instructor: Dawn Franks

new!

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### PEE WEE ENRICHMENT CAMP

We'll get your lil one movin', groovin' and grinnin' in a safe, fun, nurturing environment. Drop off your pee wee to participate in a gamut of age-appropriate activities such as learning centers, music & movement, arts & crafts, games and so much more! Campers will experience socialization, purposeful play and teamwork to improve their cognitive, emotional and physical wellbeing. Unique themes are incorporated to keep the campers engaged and create the atmosphere of fun learning. Don't miss out, cuz PEE WEE CAMP is the place to be! **Participants must be minimum age of class by the first day of class.**

3-6 YEARS

5054 M/W/F 3/13-3/17 9:15am-12:15pm MPAC \$53  
Instructor: TBA

### CREATE YOUR NEW ACCOUNT WITH US!

Gilbert Parks & Recreation has a new registration system. Please go to [GilbertRecreation.com](http://GilbertRecreation.com) to create a new account. New accounts are required to be able to register for Winter Programs.

Don't wait! Registration begins December 13th!



# GILBERT PARKS & RECREATION

## New Registration System



New Accounts Required  
**SIGN UP  
TODAY!**  
gilbertrecreation.com

In an effort to make getting active with Gilbert Parks and Recreation even easier, we're launching a new, user-friendly online registration system, ActiveNet, on [GilbertRecreation.com](http://GilbertRecreation.com)!

All current and new Gilbert Parks and Recreation users will be required to sign up for a new account. Users will be able to use this new system when registering for winter session programs starting December 13th and thereafter.

Not participating in any classes or programs during the winter session? No worries, we still encourage you to sign up for your new account because it will be required when you're ready to register for your next program or class.

Signing up for your new account is easy!

### 1. Visit

[gilbertrecreation.com](http://gilbertrecreation.com)

### 2. Sign Up

for a new account

### 3. Browse/Register

for Gilbert Parks and Recreation Programs

Registration for our Winter Session begins December 13th.

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## Parent/Tot Classes

These classes are designed to encourage both parent and child participation through instructor led activities. With you by their side, children will experience skills in sharing, listening and following directions.

Classes are recommended for the first time participants and those that aren't quite ready to leave your side. This is a great opportunity to spend quality time with your child and enhance their skills.



## ARTS & CRAFTS



### \*\*DISCOVERY ART-PARENT/TOT\*\*

Come and explore, create and learn in this exciting class that develops and encourages self-expression and confidence through arts. Children will have fun and learn with different colors, shapes and textures. We will use a variety of art supplies including glue, clay, paint, play-dough, and more!

#### 1 ½-2 YEARS

5038 F 1/13-3/10 9-9:30am CC \$44

Instructor: Susan Garner

### \*\*MESSY MONSTERS-PARENT/TOT\*\*

Bring your toddler in for a messy art experience designed just for them! Shaving cream, paint and play-dough projects will engage your child's senses while they have a messy good time. Class will end with a circle time to enjoy songs and play or story time. Come explore the amazing world of art and leave the clean up to us! *Dress down for a messy time!*

#### 1 ½-3 YEARS

5046 F 1/13-3/10 10:15-11am MPAC \$55

Instructor: Camille Adams



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### \*\*SQUISHY, MESSY, STICKY ART-PARENT/TOT\*\*

Dress down cuz you're gonna get MESSY using slime, paints, play dough, shaving cream and much, much more! Art teaches critical thinking, self-expression, problem solving, individuality, creativity and self-esteem. Your child will express themselves through finger painting, sponge art and more! Come explore the amazing world of art and leave the clean up to us! *Dress down for a messy time!*

#### 2-5 YEARS

5043 F 1/13-3/10 9:15-10am MPAC \$55

Instructor: Camille Adams

### \*\*STORYBOOK ART-PARENT/TOT\*\*

This class is designed for students to participate in art activities related to different children's stories. Each week a new story will be introduced and then a craft will be made to go along with it. Creative movement may be implemented if time permits. Dress for a mess & come be creative with us.

#### 2-4 YEARS

5360 F 1/13-3/10 10-10:45am CC \$55

Instructor: Susan Garner



## DANCE/CHEER



### \*\*BUBBLES & BOWS-PARENT/TOT\*\*

Wiggle, dance, tumble and pop your way into this magical class! You and your child will learn the basics of tap, ballet, tumbling and active movement to surely keep you coming back for more! Silly songs, props and dress up costumes will be incorporated to let your child express their creative side. Now, what class would be complete without a bubble parade? *Soft soled dance shoes and tap shoes are recommended for your child but not required.*

#### 2-3 ½ YEARS

5175 M 1/9-3/6\* 9-9:45am MPAC \$37

Instructor: Jessica Butler \*No class 1/16 & 2/20

### \*\*TWINKLE TOES-PARENT/TOT\*\*

Class is full of imagination and fun allowing you to interact with your child to introduce the fundamentals of dance techniques in ballet, tap and tumbling. Dance is about learning to nurture creative movement, follow directions, become aware of one's body/surroundings and establish classroom etiquette. Great opportunity to let your little dancer build confidence and self-esteem and take the first step to leaving your side! *Soft soled dance shoes and tap shoes are recommended for your child but not required.*

#### 2-3 ½ YEARS

5341 T 1/10-3/7 9-9:45am MPAC \$47

Instructor: Lauren Cantrell

5342 SAT 1/14-3/11 9:30-10:15am MPAC \$47

Instructor: Jennifer Boubelik

**\*\*For all Parent/Tot classes, only registered participant and parent are allowed in the classroom. Siblings, including infants, unless registered, are not allowed in the classroom. Parents do not need to register but will be required to sign a waiver of liability on the first day of the session. Participants must be the minimum age by the first day of class.\*\***



## PARENT/TOT CLASSES



### ENRICHMENT



#### \*\*GREAT STARTS-PARENT/TOT\*\*

This class will prepare your child for preschool by reinforcing letters, numbers, shapes and colors with you by their side. Math, music, arts and crafts, science and playtime will all be part of our curriculum. We will end our class with story time and a snack.

##### 2-3 YEARS

5207 T/TH 1/10-3/9 9-10am MPAC \$100

Instructor: Carolyn Love

#### \*\*LITTLE EXPLORERS-PARENT/TOT\*\*

Join the adventure, put on those thinking caps and explore the wonderful land of learning. This class is sure to get even the littlest of learners excited about the world around them and how much there is to discover. Begin by diving into the deep sea of letters where you will find a world of words, travel through the mountains of numbers where there is no number too high, and dig deep into the unearthed lands of patterns where mysteries are solved. No feat is too large for these little explorers!

##### 2-3 YEARS

5482 TH 1/12-3/9 10-10:45am CC \$55

Instructor: Isabel Sesmas

new!

#### \*\*NURSERY RHYME TIME-PARENT/TOT\*\*

Join us for singing, dancing, stories, and crafts all inspired by some of our favorite nursery rhymes! Each class, we will enjoy a nursery rhyme along with art projects and other learning activities that relate to our rhyme of the day. This class develops critical thinking, individuality, creativity and self-esteem through music, reading, and art.

##### 2-4 YEARS

5278 W 1/11-3/8 9-9:45am SERL \$55

Instructor: Chelsea Hurlburt



### GYMNASTICS & ACTIVE MOVEMENT



#### \*\*BABIES IN MOTION-PARENT/TOT\*\*

Little ones will explore by climbing up, down, under and over on child friendly equipment. Class gives your child the opportunity to express themselves through creative play to gain balance, coordination and social interaction. Music and props are incorporated to give your little one a jumping good time!

##### 1-2 YEARS

5365 M 1/9-3/6\* 9-9:45am CC \$37

Instructor: Diana Hakes **\*No Class 1/16 & 2/20**

5133 W 1/11-3/8 9-9:45am SERL \$47

5305 W 1/11-3/8 10-10:45am SERL \$47

Instructor: Diana Hakes

#### \*\*BABIES IN MOTION-PARENT/TOT WITH SIBLINGS\*\*

This class is an extension of the Babies in Motion class but with siblings in mind! Bring your toddler and your infant to this class to explore by climbing up, down, under and over on child friendly equipment. Your toddler will learn to express themselves through creative play to gain balance, coordination and social interaction, and your infant will have a blast watching, learning from and mimicking their older sibling. Music and props are incorporated to give your little one a jumping good time! **Only toddler needs to register for class. Sibling must be 12 months or younger to be in classroom with registered toddler.**

##### BIRTH-2 YEARS

5371 M 1/9-3/6\* 11-11:45am CC \$37

Instructor: Diana Hakes **\*No Class 1/16 & 2/20**

#### \*\*FUN & FITNESS-PARENT/TOT\*\*

Get a fun workout with your little one using basic body movement and gross motor skills. Gain strength, flexibility and balance crawling up, down, over, through hoops, on mats, with parachutes, and more! Take a walk back to your own childhood by participating in some of the classic children songs and nursery rhymes. Class is wildly interactive with you by their side!

##### 1 1/2-3 YEARS

5345 T 1/10-3/7 9-9:45am MPAC \$47

Instructor: Camille Adams

##### 20 MO-2 YEARS

5257 M 1/9-3/6\* 10-10:45am CC \$37

##### 2-3 YEARS

5193 W 1/11-3/8 11-11:45am SERL \$47

Instructor: Diana Hakes **\*No class 1/16 & 2/20**

#### \*\*HEAD OVER HEELS GYMNASTICS-PARENT/TOT\*\*

Parents will learn to assist their little gymnast through warm-ups and stretching before jumping, climbing, crawling and rolling on our kid-friendly gymnastics equipment. Children are encouraged to explore the world of movement using mats and balance beams to build strength, balance and coordination. Focus on hand to eye coordination through the use of bean bags, balls, buckets and hoops. Your kid will flip for this class!

##### 2-3 YEARS

5194 T 1/10-3/7 10-10:45am MPAC \$47

Instructor: Camille Adams



Credit/Refund requests must be received by 6pm, one week before the start of a class, camp or program.

Call (480) 503-6200 for further information.

## PARENT/TOT CLASSES



### MARTIAL ARTS



#### \*\*SANCHIN-RYU KARATE-PARENT/TOT\*\*

Both parent and tot can have fun together learning the fundamental movements of Sanchin-Ryu, an artistic form of self-defense designed in a way, that size, strength, age or athletic ability are not factors in defending one's self. Personal benefits include: enhanced balance, coordination and improved motor-skills.

##### 3-6 YEARS

5100	M	1/9-3/6*	5:30-6:30pm	CC	\$35
5280	TH	1/12-3/9	9-10am	SERL	\$45
5281	F	1/13-3/10	5:30-6:30pm	FRC	\$45

Instructor: Sanchin-Ryu Staff \*No Class 1/16 & 2/20



### SPECIAL INTEREST



#### \*\*MELODIES FOR US -PARENT/TOT\*\*

Join us for a fun, musical and sensory-filled experience. Themed and seasonal songs and musical opportunities will be included each week. Children are exposed to a variety of sounds and musical instruments to play. Weekly themes use a wide variety of instruments and musical experiences to help promote cognitive, motor, communication, and emotional/social development. All lead instructors are degreed, nationally Board-Certified Music Therapists who are trained to facilitate this experience for you and your child.

##### 1 MONTH-5 YEARS

5282	M	1/9-2/6*	9-9:45am	CC	\$42
5283	M	1/9-2/6*	10-10:45am	CC	\$42
5284	M	2/13-3/13*	9-9:45am	CC	\$32
5285	M	2/13-3/13*	10-10:45am	CC	\$32

Instructor: Higher Octave Healing Staff \*No class 1/16 & 2/20

#### \*\*MUNCHKIN MUSIC-PARENT/TOT\*\*

Music, instruments, parachute, puppets, learning and just plain fun is what you and your little munchkin will experience in this class. Colleen Rogers has been teaching music & movement classes to toddlers and preschool children for over 15 years. She loves children and understands early childhood development. Parents continue to choose this class to give their children the benefit of learning through music.

##### 1 ½-5 YEARS

5286	T	1/17-2/7	9:30-10:10am	SERL	\$35
5287	T	1/17-2/7	10:30-11:10am	SERL	\$35
5288	T	2/14-3/7	9:30-10:10am	SERL	\$35
5289	T	2/14-3/7	10:30-11:10am	SERL	\$35
5290	W	1/18-2/8	9:30-10:10am	SERL	\$35
5291	W	1/18-2/8	10:30-11:10am	SERL	\$35
5292	W	2/15-3/8	9:30-10:10am	SERL	\$35
5293	W	2/15-3/8	10:30-11:10am	SERL	\$35

Instructor: Colleen Rogers

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### SPORTS



#### BEGINNERS EDGE SPORTS TRAINING CLASSES

Beginners Edge Youth Sports Training Programs bring your player into the world of sports by teaching the sports skills they will need to get them ready to compete. Our fun training program is built to engage and excite them through multiple sessions of learning. Join the B.E.S.T. Team today and support the only non-franchise, locally owned and operated sports program here in AZ.

#### \*\*3-SPORT SKILLS CLASS WITH B.E.S.T.-PARENT/TOT\*\*

The B.E.S.T. Youth Sports Program in Gilbert brings you 7 weeks covering 3 sports. We will teach your player how to kick and control a soccer ball, how to hit, catch, throw and run the bases for baseball/softball and lastly they will be running, jumping and building strength and endurance in our Track & Field program. *We will hold 3 weeks of Soccer so please bring a size #3 or #4 soccer ball, followed by 2 weeks of baseball/softball, please bring a hitting tee and we finish with 2 weeks of Track and Field. These classes take place on the grassy area in front of Freestone Recreation Center.*

##### 2-3 YEARS

5107	SAT	1/14-3/4*	11-11:45am	FRC	\$77
5299	SUN	1/15-3/5*	9-9:45am	FRC	\$77

Instructor: Beginners Edge Sports Staff \*No class 2/18 & 2/19

#### \*\*SOCCER & BASEBALL /SOFTBALL SKILLS WITH B.E.S.T.-PARENT/TOT\*\*

The B.E.S.T. Youth Sports Program in Gilbert brings you a 2-Sport Multi Sport class with soccer and baseball/softball. Learn how to kick and control a soccer ball, score goals, do a proper throw-in and be a goalie; they can also learn how to hit, catch, field and run the bases. *This 7-week program will hold 4 weeks of soccer then 3-weeks of baseball/softball so please bring a size #3 or #4 soccer ball for the first 4 weeks and then please bring a hitting tee for the last 3 weeks. This class takes place on the grassy area in front of Freestone Recreation Center.*

##### 2-3 YEARS

5108	SAT	1/14-3/4*	8-8:45am	FRC	\$77
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Instructor: Beginners Edge Sports Staff \*No class 2/18

#### \*\*SOCCER SKILLS & FUN WITH B.E.S.T.-PARENT/TOT\*\*

Our weekly soccer-skills class will teach your kids the skills of soccer by offering activities including; dribbling, kicking, throw-ins, and goalie skills (age permitting: scrimmaging and more). Over the course of 7 weeks your child will have fun WHILE learning from our experienced instructors. *Please bring a size #3 soccer ball with your child's name on it, a water bottle and lots of energy! These classes take place on the grassy area in front of Freestone Recreation Center.*

##### 1 ½-3 YEARS

5300	SAT	1/14-3/4*	9-9:45am	FRC	\$77
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##### 2-3 YEARS

5301	SUN	1/15-3/5*	11-11:45am	FRC	\$77
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Instructor: Beginners Edge Sports Staff \*No class 2/18 & 2/19



## PARENT/TOT CLASSES



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### \*\*GOLF READY-PARENT/CHILD\*\*

This is a great way to learn the golf swing together as a family. Families will learn all the pre-shot fundamentals; grip, aim, stance and posture. Full swing, putting, chipping, pitching and driver swing will also be a focal point. *Golf clubs are available for use if you do not have your own. Closed toed shoes are required. Western Skies Golf Club (WS) is located at 1245 E. Warner Rd., Gilbert, AZ 85296.*

#### 3-6 YEARS

5294	T	1/10-2/7	6-7pm	WS	\$145
5295	T	2/14-3/14	6-7pm	WS	\$145

Instructor: Mike Arrigoni, PGA

### \*\*MY FIRST SPORTS CLASS-PARENT/TOT\*\*

Together, you and your child will have fun learning the basics of various sports such as t-ball, soccer and basketball while developing large motor skills and coordination. Emphasis is on learning to follow directions, take turns, develop coordination and promote self-esteem. *Participants must wear tennis shoes.*

#### 2-3 YEARS

5201	T	1/10-3/7	9:45-10:30am	MPAC	\$47
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Instructor: Kelli Morgan



**Sportball**  
Sports instruction for kids

### SPORTBALL SPORTS CLASSES

Sportball utilizes developmentally appropriate techniques to enhance motor skills, social skills and sport strategy with caregivers by their side. All coaches are professionally trained and must pass a rigorous Sportball certification process. Sportball provides all equipment.

### \*\*SPORTBALL MULTI-SPORT-PARENT & CHILD\*\*

Sportball Parent & Child programs help young children to refine their motor skills, such as balance and coordination, as well as develop their social skills such as confidence, following instructions, turn-taking and sharing. Coaches introduce a different sport each class using developmentally appropriate games and activities. *All equipment is provided. The class taking place at Freestone Recreation Center will be held on the grassy area in front of the Center.*

#### 1 ½-3 YEARS

5153	SAT	1/14-3/11	9-9:45am	CC	\$99
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#### 2-3 YEARS

5303	W	1/11-3/8	9:15-10am	FRC	\$99
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Instructor: Sportball Staff

### \*\*SPORTBALL SOCCER-PARENT & CHILD\*\*

Get a kick out of Sportball Parent & Child Soccer programs! Participants are introduced to fundamental concepts of soccer and are provided the basic skills required to score with confidence in fun, exciting, skills-focused games. With the guidance and support of their Sportball Coach, parents and children zero in on soccer skills including: throw-ins, dribbling, trapping, passing, goalie skills and more. Children are challenged according to their individual skill level and Coaches help grownups understand proven teaching techniques that can be applied outside of Sportball classes. **A one-time material fee of \$20 will be collected by the instructor on the first day of class. The material fee is for a jersey and soccer ball. This class will take place on the multi-use field behind McQueen Park Activity Center.**

#### 2-4 YEARS

5165	SAT	1/14-3/11	9:30-10:15am	MPARK	\$99
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Instructor: Sportball Staff



Check out our indoor play area for you and

**CLEAN! SAFE! FUN!**

Held every **FRIDAY**  
Drop-in between  
9-11am

Children 5 years and  
younger welcome  
with adult supervision.



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McQueen Park Activity Center (480) 503-6294

Our classes are designed to encourage participation through instructor led activities. Your child will experience skills in sharing, listening and following directions. This is a time for peer socialization, purposeful play and teamwork to improve their cognitive, emotional and physical well-being. From first time participants to ongoing participants, we want this to be a fun, exciting experience for your little one. We don't force them to interact, yet we encourage them to work at their own pace. We hope to build their communication skills that will allow them to interact with their peers and instructor. This is a great opportunity for our Parks & Recreation staff to spend quality time with your child and enhance their learning that will carry them through life!



## ARTS & CRAFTS

### FUN AT THE ZOO

Every day is a safari in this class! Come to play and learn about a whole range of animals. Children will learn through fun, energetic lessons, story time and arts and crafts projects centered around a different animal each week.

#### 2-4 YEARS

5039 TH 1/12-3/9 9-9:45am CC \$55  
Instructor: Isabel Sesmas

### MY FIRST ART CLASS

We will explore textures, mixtures, stamping, squeezing, printing, painting and so much more! Children are introduced to color, shape, texture, and art techniques, style and material with new lessons each session. **\*This is NOT a parent tot class. Participants must be minimum age by the first day of class.\***

#### \*2-4 YEARS\*

5042 M 1/9-3/6\* 11-11:45am MPAC \$45

Instructor: TBA **\*No class 1/16 & 2/20**

5397 F 1/13-3/10 11-11:45am CC \$45

Instructor: Susan Garner

Credit/Refund requests must be received by 6pm, one week before the start of a class, camp or program.

Call (480) 503-6200 for further information.



**PLEASE NOTE:** While we love our parents, our recreation classes are intended for drop off only and parents are not allowed in the classroom during class time. If your child is not ready to attend a class without a caregiver, please see the Parent/Tot section for options.

### SILLY SCIENCE & DISCOVERY

This hands-on class is sure to peak your child's inner scientist! We'll create experiments that pop, fizz and explode that are sure to jump start your child's excitement and create a sense of wonder and discovery! Your child will have a blast in this class!

#### 3-5 YEARS

5140 T 1/10-3/7 10-10:45am CC \$55  
Instructor: Isabel Sesmas

### SQUISHY, MESSY, STICKY ART

Dress down cuz you're gonna get MESSY using slime, paints, play dough, shaving cream and much, much more! Art teaches critical thinking, self-expression, problem solving, individuality, creativity and self-esteem. Your child will express themselves through finger painting, sponge art and more! Come explore the amazing world of art and leave the clean up to us!

#### 3-5 YEARS

5044 F 1/13-3/10 11-11:45am FRC \$55  
Instructor: Isabel Sesmas



## COOKING

"The girls loved learning to cook new things and then eating them!"

### COOKING 101 FOR KIDS

Calling all culinary enthusiasts! This fun class will teach your child the basics of baking and cooking! Each week will have a different focus and we'll make appetizers, main dishes, breakfast items and desserts. Get ready to taste some amazing foods! Recipes will be given each class to recreate at home. *Bring a storage container to transport food from class.* **Not recommended for children with food allergies.**

#### 3-6 YEARS

5168 F 1/13-3/10 11:45am-12:30pm MPAC \$65

5368 F 1/13-3/10 3-3:45pm MPAC \$65

Instructor: Camille Adams

### CRAZY CHEFS

MUNCH, CRUNCH, and CHEW, this is absolutely the right class for YOU! We will bake, mix and blend a variety of delicious snacks that you're sure to enjoy! Simple ingredients will allow you to prepare your own snacks that will absolutely amaze your family and friends! Receive a complimentary cookbook with all our recipes. **Not recommended for children with food allergies.** **\*This is NOT a parent tot class. Participants must be minimum age by the first day of class.\***

#### \*2½-4 YEARS\*

5171 W 1/11-3/8 10-10:50am MPAC \$65

#### 3-5 YEARS

5372 W 1/11-3/8 11-11:50am MPAC \$65

Instructor: Cathy Gomez





## DANCE & CHEER

### BABY BALLERINAS

This ballet class is designed especially for the very young dancer. We will be using props, imagery and costumes during this class. **\*This is NOT a Parent/Tot class. Participant must be minimum age by the first day of class.\***

#### \*2-3 ½ YEARS\*

5405	T	1/10-3/7	11-11:30am	CC	\$36
5406	W	1/11-3/8	9:45-10:15am	CC	\$36
5407	TH	1/12-3/9	11-11:30am	CC	\$36

Instructor: Jennifer Gallamore

### BABY BALLERINAS II

This class is for students that have completed at least one class of Baby Ballerinas and are ready to progress their technique. This ballet class is designed especially for the very young dancers. We will be using props, imagery and costumes during this class. **\*This is NOT a Parent/Tot class. Participant must be minimum age by the first day of class.\***

#### \*2-3 ½ YEARS\*

5121	W	1/11-3/8	9-9:30am	CC	\$36
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Instructor: Jennifer Gallamore

### BALLET/ TAP

Are you ready to learn lots of great dance moves you can show your friends and family? Each class we will focus on ballet and tap. We will learn everything from pleas and tendues, to flaps and shuffles, to chases and leaps! We will focus on technique through fun and exciting dance moves at the barre, in the center and across the floor. *Proper dance attire and ballet and tap shoes are strongly recommended.* **\*This is NOT a Parent/Tot class. Participant must be minimum age by the first day of class.\***

#### \*2 ½-3 YEARS\*

5070	TH	1/12-3/9	10-10:45am	FRC	\$47
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#### 3-5 YEARS

5077	T	1/10-3/7	10-10:45am	FRC	\$47
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Instructor: Antonia Behnke

#### 3-6 YEARS

5122	T	1/10-3/7	3:30-4:15pm	CC	\$47
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Instructor: Jenn Myers

### BE A BALLERINA

Your little one will learn beginning ballet technique and have fun dressing up as a ballerina. Small props and costume pieces will be used to enhance our ballet routines. *Ballet shoes are recommended.*

#### 3-5 YEARS

5254	F	1/13-3/10	10-10:45am	SERL	\$47
5316	F	1/13-3/10	11-11:45am	SERL	\$47

Instructor: Dawn Franks

### BEAUTIFUL BALLERINAS

Beautiful Ballerinas is the place to be, you will learn basic ballet moves and routines using fanciful music. This class will encourage listening skills, following directions, positive self-image and cooperating with others. *Ballet shoes and dancewear is recommended.*

#### 3-5 YEARS

5123	W	1/11-3/8	9-9:45am	CC	\$47
5432	F	1/13-3/10	9-9:45am	CC	\$47

Instructor: Jenn Myers

### BOYS DANCE & TUMBLE

This class is for all you boys who like to move. You will learn hip-hop dance moves and tumbling at the most basic level. Fun props will be used to enhance the learning experience. This class is designed to develop motor skills, coordination and self-esteem.

#### 3 ½-6 YEARS

5179	W	1/11-3/8	10-10:45am	MPAC	\$47
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Instructor: Kaytlyn Deering

### CHEER, CHANTS & TUMBLE

The girls on this squad will learn basic cheer, tumbling, simple chants, kicks, dances and jumps set to age appropriate music. Skills are broken down into easy to follow steps, which will be put together into a short, fun routine to be performed at the end of the session. "Give me a C-H-E-E-R, C-H-A-N-T-S & T-U-M-B-L-E, what's that spell?"...FUN!

#### 3-5 YEARS

5192	M	1/9-3/6*	11-11:45am	MPAC	\$37
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Instructor: Jessica Butler **\*No class 1/16 & 2/20**

5072	M	1/9-3/6*	3-3:45pm	FRC	\$37
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#### 5-7 YEARS

5480	M	1/9-3/6*	4-4:45pm	FRC	\$37
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Instructor: Antonia Behnke **\*No class 1/16 & 2/20**



**DANCING DIVAS FOR KIDS**

Sparkle and shine and unleash your inner diva! Basic jazz, hip hop and a little bit of tap will be broken down for easy to follow moves. Costumes, props and music will be incorporated to enhance their love of dance! The session will end with a short routine performed at the end of the session. Be sure to bring your cameras! *Tap and ballet shoes are recommended but not required.*

**3-5 YEARS**

5180	T	1/10-3/7	10-10:45am	MPAC	\$47
Instructor: Lauren Cantrell					

**4-6 YEARS**

5382	TH	1/12-3/9	5-5:45pm	MPAC	\$47
Instructor: Jennifer Boubelik					

**FAIRYTALE BALLET**

The magical journey begins here. Fairytale Ballet offers beginning exploration into classical ballet that incorporates costumes, props, and music into each class. *Ballet shoes recommended. Costumes and props will be provided. \*This is NOT a Parent/Tot class. Participants must meet the minimum age requirement by the first day of class.\**

**\*2 ½-3 ½ YEARS\***

5264	F	1/13-3/10	10-10:40am	MPAC	\$47
Instructor: Lauren Cantrell					

**3-5 YEARS**

5388	M	1/9-3/6*	10-10:45am	MPAC	\$37
Instructor: Jessica Butler <b>*No class 1/16 &amp; 2/20</b>					

5389	T	1/10-3/7	5:15-6pm	MPAC	\$47
Instructor: TBA					

5124	TH	1/12-3/9	4-4:45pm	CC	\$47
Instructor: Lauren Cantrell					

**PIP SQUEAK HIP HOP**

Does your little pip squeak love to dance and move? This introduction to hip hop focuses on rhythm and basic footwork taught at an easy to follow, comfortable pace using games and movement. Great way to get up and get funky! Class taught to upbeat, age appropriate music. *Tennis shoes and relaxed clothing are recommended.*

**3 ½-6 YEARS**

5183	W	1/11-3/8	9-9:45am	MPAC	\$47
Instructor: Kaytlyn Deering					

**4-6 YEARS**

5075	W	1/11-3/8	3-3:45pm	FRC	\$47
Instructor: Jenn Myers					

**PRESCHOOL BALLET**

A beautiful beginning to ballet...magical costumes, enchanting props, and enlightening music that encourages creativity and imagination to make learning ballet magical. Classes including traditional barre warm ups, center work, and moving across the floor while learning ballet terminology. **Participant must be minimum age by the first day of class.**

**3-5 YEARS**

5125	T	1/10-3/7	11:45am-12:30pm	CC	\$47
Instructor: Jennifer Gallamore					

**PRESCHOOL BALLET II**

A beautiful beginning to ballet...magical costumes, enchanting props, and enlightening music that encourages creativity and imagination to make learning ballet magical. Classes including traditional barre warm ups, center work, and moving across the floor while learning ballet terminology. **Participant must be minimum age by the first day of class.**

**3-5 YEARS**

5126	T	1/10-3/7	12:45-1:30pm	CC	\$47
Instructor: Jennifer Gallamore					

**PRINCESS STORYTIME DANCE**

Do you love to swirl and twirl like a princess? We will begin each class with a story and learn to dance like a real princess! Each week a new princess will teach the class ballet moves and at the end of the session there will be a recital where you can wear your favorite princess dress!

**3-6 YEARS**

5463	W	1/11-3/8	10-10:45am	CC	\$47
Instructor: Jenn Myers					

5465	F	1/13-3/10	10-10:45am	CC	\$47
Instructor: Jenn Myers					

**RHYTHM & ROLL**

This is an action packed class that includes tap, jazz and tumbling. Participants will learn a variety of moves to go home and show off. This is a great class to learn fine motor skills, coordination and poise. *Tap shoes are recommended but not required.*

**3-5 YEARS**

5391	W	1/11-3/8	11-11:45am	MPAC	\$47
Instructor: Lauren Cantrell					

**TAP, BALLET & TUMBLE**

Participants will learn tap, ballet, and tumbling at the most basic level. This class is designed to develop motor skills, coordination and self-esteem. *Tap and ballet shoes are recommended but not required.*

**2 ½-3 YEARS**

5507	T	1/10-3/7	11-11:40am	FRC	\$47
Instructor: Antonia Behnke					

**3-5 YEARS**

5074	W	1/11-3/8	12:15-1pm	CC	\$47
Instructor: Jennifer Gallamore					

5486	F	1/13-3/10	11-11:45am	CC	\$47
Instructor: Jenn Myers					

5255	F	1/13-3/10	9-9:45am	SERL	\$47
Instructor: Dawn Franks					

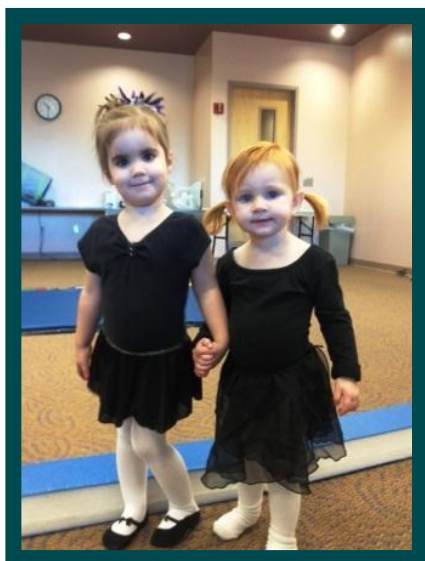
5393	F	1/13-3/10	3-3:45pm	MPAC	\$47
Instructor: Jenn Myers					

5508	TH	1/12-3/9	11-11:45am	FRC	\$47
Instructor: Antonia Behnke					

**Credit/Refund requests must be received by 6pm, one week before the start of a class, camp or program.**

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## TOTS & TUTUS

This class is full of imagination and fun! Your tot will be introduced to the fundamentals of tap, ballet and jazz. Kids will love to dress up each week and dance their hearts out! Props and magical music will be incorporated into this class. *Tap and ballet shoes are recommended but not required.*

### 3-5 YEARS

5184	F	1/13-3/10	9-9:45am	MPAC	\$47
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Instructor: Lauren Cantrell

### 4-6 YEARS

5394	F	1/13-3/10	4-4:45pm	MPAC	\$47
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Instructor: Jenn Myers

## TUTUS & TUMBLING

Are you ready to learn lots of great dance moves you can show your friends and family? Each class we will spend time learning ballet, tap and tumbling techniques. With ballet we will focus on poise, stretching and understanding that ballet can help with all sorts of dance styles. In tap we will learn everything from shuffles to coffee grinders. Then we will cut loose with fun tumbling tricks and they sky's the limit. We want to have fun and play safe all while keeping busy and moving.

### 4-6 YEARS

5076	M	1/9-3/6*	9-9:45am	FRC	\$37
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5511	SAT	1/14-3/11*	9-9:45am	FRC	\$42
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Instructor: Jenn Myers **\*No class 1/16, 2/11 & 2/20**

## TWINKLE TOES

Class is full of imagination and fun, while introducing the fundamentals of dance techniques in ballet, tap and tumbling. At this age, dance is about learning to nurture creative movement, follow directions, become aware of one's body/surroundings and establish classroom etiquette. Great opportunity to let your little dancer build confidence and self-esteem! *Soft soled dance shoes and tap shoes are recommended but not required.*

### 3-5 YEARS

5185	SAT	1/14-3/11	10:30-11:15am	MPAC	\$47
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Instructor: Jennifer Boubelik



## ENRICHMENT

### ADVANCED KINDERGARTEN READINESS

Give your kids a head start by enrolling them in Advanced Preschool. This is an advance class which will help develop core skills needed for academic success. Coursework includes; recognizing and writing letters and numbers, introduction to basic site words, colors and shapes. Each class includes reading and discussion groups to help develop each child's love for reading and key listening and comprehension skills. Children will learn basic academic skills to succeed in Kindergarten.

#### 4-6 YEARS

5259	T/TH	1/10-2/16	9-12pm	SERL	\$190
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Instructor: Amber Shahid

### ADVENTURE TOTS

Your first time 'student' will experience an array of preschool activities. Join us on an adventure of colors, shapes, letters and numbers to build basic skills in preparation for kindergarten. Activities include learning centers, arts and crafts, music and physical activity. Special theme days will be included to enhance learning.

**\*This is NOT a parent tot class. Participants must be minimum age by the first day of class.\***

#### \*2-3 YEARS\*

5206	M	1/9-3/6*	9-9:45am	MPAC	\$43
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5412	M	1/9-3/6*	10-10:45am	MPAC	\$43
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Instructor: TBA **\*No class 1/16 & 2/20**

5413	W	1/11-3/8	9-9:45am	MPAC	\$53
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5414	W	1/11-3/8	10-10:45am	MPAC	\$53
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Instructor: Jessica Butler

### ADVENTURES IN LEARNING

Prepare your child for the adventure of a lifetime, kindergarten! Your little one will learn the basics of reading and writing that will encourage success for years to come. This class will incorporate hands-on manipulatives that will develop cognitive & motor skills, math by counting, sorting & grouping and creative play to encourage individuality, creativity & success! Snacks provided. **Participants must be minimum age by the first day of class.**

#### 3-5 YEARS

5212	T/TH	1/10-3/7	9am-12pm	MPAC	\$280
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Instructor: TBA

5475	M/W	1/9-3/8*	10:45-11:45am	FRC	\$90
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Instructor: Debra Shaw **\*No class 1/16 & 2/20**

### ALPHABET SOUP

Discover the alphabet in a fun and creative way. Letter recognition, letter tracing, and crafts that relate with the letter of the day as well as story time and group play to keep your child engaged in the learning process. Children will also learn to follow directions and develop social skills.

#### 3-5 YEARS

5111	T/TH	1/10-3/7	10am-12pm	FRC	\$190
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Instructor: Jessica Butler



### ANIMAL CRACKERZ

Check out this amazing program that incorporates reading, writing, math, science, art and music, along with social development in a fun, hands-on fashion. Using the Animated Alphabet curriculum, your child will be introduced to fun and friendly characters as they develop their letter recognition, vocabulary and fine motor skills. We'll develop the whole child in a fun and exciting way. **Participants must be minimum age by the first day of class.**

#### 3 ½-6 YEARS

5213	M/W	1/9-3/8*	9am-12pm	MPAC	\$250
5421	T/TH	1/10-3/9	9am-12pm	MPAC	\$280

Instructor: Debbie Johnston **\*No class 1/16 & 2/20**

### APPLES TO ZEBRAS

Travel with us through the alphabet and meet new friends. We'll learn letters and sounds, colors and shapes, and making amazing letter crafts. Come sing silly songs, wiggle and dance, and wind down with an amazing story time. Great class to develop skills as you prepare for your new adventure into kindergarten. Snacks are provided. **Participants must be minimum age by the first day of class.**

#### 3-4 YEARS

5202	T/TH	1/10-3/9	9:30am-12pm	MPAC	\$235
Instructor: Cathy Gomez					
5476	W	1/11-3/8	9-10am	FRC	\$55

Instructor: Valerie Blake

**new!**

### BEGINNING SPANISH FOR KIDS

Students will be taught Spanish through read-alouds, songs and art activities. Students will learn colors, shapes, days of the week and more in Spanish. Kids will enjoy developing their Spanish skills in a fun and creative way.

#### 3-5 YEARS

5275	T	1/10-3/7	11:15am-12pm	CC	\$55
5477	F	1/13-3/10	10-10:45am	FRC	\$55

Instructor: Isabel Sesmas

### BUILDING BLOCKS FOR TOTS

Through crafts, stories, songs and fun activities participants in this class will learn and enhance basic skills that will be utilized in preschool. The theme this session will be animals and we will use skills such as cutting and pasting, counting, and letter, color and shape recognition will be practiced to help your child get a head start on building a strong foundation that will be used for future learning.

#### 3-5 YEARS

5130	T/TH	1/10-3/9	9-11am	CC	\$190
Instructor: Tracey Bailey					

### DISCOVERY DINOTASTIC

Children will get the opportunity to learn about dinosaurs by making dinosaurs, dino digs, songs and more! Everything dinosaur.

#### 3-6 YEARS

5276	TH	1/12-3/9	11-11:45am	CC	\$55
Instructor: Isabel Sesmas					

### DISCOVERY SCIENCE

Calling all science enthusiasts! Check out our fun, interactive and educational science class. This class is hands-on, so be sure to dress for mess! We'll create experiments that pop, fizz and explode that are sure to jump start your child's excitement and create a sense of wonder and discovery! Your child will have a blast in this class!

#### 3-6 YEARS

5181	W	1/11-3/8	11-11:45am	MPAC	\$53
Instructor: Jessica Butler					

### FUN WITH PHONICS

Who says Learning can't be fun? Join Miss Robin as we prepare for reading, writing, math and science in this fun-filled program. Letter recognition and phonemic awareness will be taught through songs, chants, music and movement. Each week we will focus on a different letter with hands-on, engaging activities and projects. Sprinkle math and science into the mix for a well-rounded classroom learning experience. **Participants must be minimum age by the first day of class.**

#### 3-5 YEARS

5211	M/W/F	1/9-3/10*	9am-12pm	MPAC	\$370
Instructor: Robin Baggett <b>*No class 1/16, 1/27 &amp; 2/20</b>					

### FUNDAY FRIDAY

Come join us for a fun-filled adventure land loaded with a variety of activities your child is sure to enjoy! Make amazing crafts, sing silly songs, play outdoors, take a nature walk, watch funny movies, make yummy buttered popcorn, read fairytales, make delicious ice cream, paint colorful collages, dig for dinos, and go on a bear hunt...just to name a few! This is a place where a kid can be a kid! **Participants must be minimum age by the first day of class.**

#### 3-5 YEARS

5209	F	1/13-3/10	10am-12pm	MPAC	\$98
Instructor: Cathy Gomez					

**new!**

**Look for this icon to see our exciting new! offerings this session**



## INTRO TO KINDERGARTEN READINESS

Introduction to preschool will expose first time preschoolers to a structured learning environment. Students will learn to recognize letters, numbers, shapes and colors. Students will also learn how to follow directions and socialize with other students in a nurturing environment. This class will help students gain the needed skills to succeed in the Advanced Kindergarten Readiness class.

### 3-4 YEARS

5260 T/TH 1/10-2/16 12:30-1:15pm SERL \$70  
Instructor: Amber Shahid

## LEARN MORE FOR 3-4'S

Looking for the next step up from the Room to Bloom class? Learn More For 3-4's will continue to reinforcing letters, numbers, shapes and colors. Math, music, arts & crafts, and purposeful play will all be incorporated into the weekly curriculum. We will end our class with story time and a snack. **Participants must be minimum age by the first day of class.**

### 3-4 YEARS

5210 M/W 1/9-3/8\* 9am-12pm MPAC \$250  
Instructor: Carolyn Love **\*No class 1/16 & 2/20**

## LITTLE SCHOLARS

Is your little Einstein ready for the school experience? This class is designed to help your little learner achieve academic success through hands-on and engaging activities that ready children for their kindergarten experience. We will work on name recognition, prewriting skills, counting, ABC's, weather, the seasons, and so much more. Arts and crafts, music, and stories will enrich our experience in a fun and social atmosphere.

### 3-5 YEARS

5308 W/F 1/11-3/10 11am-12pm SERL \$105  
5309 F 1/13-3/10 10-10:45am SERL \$55

Instructor: Chelsea Hurlburt

5086 M/W 1/9-3/8\* 9-10:30am FRC \$131  
5261 T/TH 1/10-3/9 10-11:30am FRC \$145

Instructor: Debra Shaw **\*No class 1/16 & 2/20**

## LITTLE SCIENTIST

Children will have fun learning about a variety of different topics such as Ocean Life, Reptiles, Weather, Our Skeletal System and many more. Children will learn about these through simple experiments, books, songs and hands on activities.

### 3-5 YEARS

5087 F 1/13-3/10 9-9:45am FRC \$55

Instructor: Isabel Sesmas

new!

## LOVE OF READING SERIES

Encourage your child's love for reading by joining us on a literary adventure through the pages of our storybooks. This session we will explore the always magical, often rhythmical world of Dr. Seuss and the enchanted castles of Fairy Tales.

### LOVE OF READING SERIES: DR. SEUSS

Celebrate a love for reading by exploring a different Dr. Seuss book each week and making fun crafts to go with each book, learning numbers, shapes and so much more Dr. Seuss style!

#### 3-6 YEARS

5481 M 1/9-3/6\* 9-10am FRC \$45

Instructor: Valerie Blake **\*No class 1/16 & 2/20**

### LOVE OF READING SERIES: FAIRY TALES

Celebrate a love for reading by exploring a different Fairy Tale book each week like Little Red Riding Hood, Cinderella and the Three Little Pigs. We will make fun crafts and enjoy learning with the Fairy Tale Characters.

#### 3-6 YEARS

5484 M 1/9-3/6\* 1-2pm FRC \$45

Instructor: Valerie Blake **\*No class 1/16 & 2/20**

## LUNCH BUNCH LEARNERS

Get your child prepped and ready for kindergarten with this wildly popular class. Writing skills, letter sounds, name recognition, counting in English and Spanish, weather and science are just a few of the fun, exciting topics we will cover; all while experiencing art, music, storytime, physical fitness and pretend play. Learn important social skills and manners each day while enjoying a lunch packed from home and participate in fun community activities throughout the session. **Please note: Food allergies will be discussed on the first day. As a precaution, please NO peanut products.**

#### 3½-5 ½ YEARS

5131 M/W 1/9-3/8\* 9am-12pm CC \$250

Instructor: Susan Miller **\*No Class 1/16 & 2/20**

## MAD MATH I

*COUNT* on us to help you hone in on your math skills! We will concentrate on learning numbers and simple addition. Flashcards, worksheets and manipulatives will be used to teach children math in an engaging, fun fashion. In *ADDITION* to learning math, *SUM* of you will have an exceptionally good time! **Participants must be the minimum age by first day of class.**

#### 4-6 YEARS

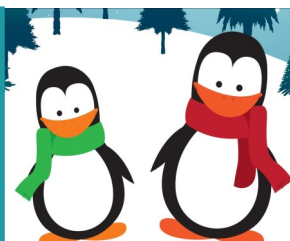
5191 F 1/13-3/10 9-10:15am MPAC \$60

Instructor: Carolyn Love

## CREATE YOUR NEW ACCOUNT WITH US!

Gilbert Parks & Recreation has a new registration system. Please go to [GilbertRecreation.com](http://GilbertRecreation.com) to create a new account. New accounts are required to be able to register for Winter Programs.

**Don't wait! Registration begins December 13th!**



**MAGICAL MORNINGS SMART START**

Is your child ready for a longer class? This 2 hours/ twice a week class offers a lot. We will begin to learn our letters, and their sounds through song and music. We will begin to recognize our names, count to 20, experiment with science, as well as learn some basic Spanish. Repetition is a big key to learning. We continue with colors, shapes, and explore some other valuable skills that are key to academic success. There will be weekly themes, daily art projects, sticky messy play, lots of fun songs, stories, and of course some exciting special activities. *This class continues through the calendar year with new activities and skills being added each session.*

**Participant must be minimum age by the first day of class.**

**3-4 ½ YEARS**

5132 T/TH 1/10-3/9 9-11am CC \$190  
Instructor: Susan Miller

**MAGICAL MORNINGS TODDLERSCHOOL**

This is a "first experience" class without parents. This is a chance for your child to be "on his own", and develop his/her own unique personality. Our academics will center around colors and shapes, counting to 10, music and movement, crafts and stories, and more. Children will learn to socialize, and play with other in a structured learning environment. This class continues throughout the school year with new activities being added each session. **Participant must be minimum age by the first day of class.**

**2 ½-3 ½ YEARS**

5129 T/TH 1/10-3/9 11:15am-12:15pm CC \$100  
Instructor: Susan Miller

**MIGHTY MUNCHKINS**

First time Preschooler? This is the class for you! Introduce your child to the alphabet, numbers, shapes, games and much, much more. We will sing songs, make crafts and practice our listening skills while having fun. **\*This is NOT a parent tot class. Participants must be minimum age by the first day of class.\***

**\*2-3 YEARS\***

5082 T 1/10-3/7 9-9:40am FRC \$55  
5488 TH 1/12-3/9 9-9:40am FRC \$55  
Instructor: Debra Shaw

**MY FIRST BIG KID CLASS**

Is your child ready to be in a classroom all by him or herself? Do they want to explore everything and imitate all the things you do or say? It's time for a big kid class! In this class your toddler will learn to share, use their manners, play with others and more all while learning shapes, colors, numbers, and letters! **\*This is NOT a parent tot class. Participants must be minimum age by the first day of class.\***

**\*2-3 YEARS\***

5402 T 1/10-3/7 9-9:45am CC \$55  
Instructor: Isabel Sesmas

**NUMBER MUNCHERS**

Whole, half or quarter, this class will introduce your little one to math concepts such as counting, parts of a whole, shapes, number of sides and simple addition using our favorite edible treats as manipulatives. If your mathematician likes to count their goldfish or snack on a 1/8<sup>th</sup> of an apple this is the course for them.

**4-6 YEARS**

5487 TH 1/12-3/9 9-9:45am FRC \$55  
Instructor: Jessica Butler

**OOEY, GOOEY, SLIMY SCIENCE FOR THE SENSES**

Mix, stir, and squeeze the ingredients for ooey, gooey, slimy sensory concoctions! Children will be introduced to the scientific process including identifying materials, sequencing the process, making predictions and exploring the results! Each class will feature a different mixture that children will create and explore.

**3-5 YEARS**

5310 M 1/9-3/6\* 11:15am-12:15pm SERL \$45  
5311 SAT 1/14-3/11 10:45-11:45am SERL \$55

Instructor: Tracey Bailey **\*No Class 1/16 & 2/20**

**PLAYHOUSE ADVENTURES**

This class offers a variety of activities, such as letters, shapes, number, colors, art work, story time and songs. We will discuss a different theme each week that is sure to keep even the most curious child fascinated and give them the opportunity to grow and develop socially as well as academically. **Participants must be minimum age by the first day of class.**

**3-5 YEARS**

5088 M/W 1/9-3/8\* 10:15-11:45am FRC \$131  
Instructor: Valerie Blake **\*No class 1/16 & 2/20**

**READY, SET, GO!**

Continue the learning journey exploring math, literacy, science and art concepts through games, songs, stories and projects. Children will participate in a variety of writing activities including sensory writing, letter recognition, rhyming songs and games, counting activities and games, and science experiments. Come join the fun!

**\*This is NOT a parent tot class. Participants must be minimum age by the first day of class.\***

**\*2-3 YEARS\***

5312 M 1/9-3/6\* 9-9:45am SERL \$45

**3-5 YEARS**

5313 SAT 1/14-3/11 9:30-10:30am SERL \$55

Instructor: Tracey Bailey **\*No Class 1/16 & 2/20**

**ROOM TO BLOOM**

Watch your child bloom in this fun academic class while they learn the alphabet, numbers, colors and shapes. Crafts and play stations will enhance your child's creativity and social skills. **\*This is NOT a parent tot class. Participants must be minimum age by the first day of class.\***

**\*2-3 YEARS\***

5208 T/TH 1/10-3/9 10:15-11:15am MPAC \$100  
Instructor: Carolyn Love

new!

## SCIENCE IN THE PARK-GAMES & ART

Let your preschooler explore and learn about the outdoors in this new outdoor education program. This session will focus on games and art activities combined with nature hikes. There will be daily themes such as finding patterns in nature, finding colors in nature, design a picture using objects in nature.

### 3-6 YEARS

5307 M 1/9-3/13 10am-11am Riparian \$60  
Instructor: Riparian Staff

new!

## SCIENCE IN THE PARK-USING OUR SENSES

Let your preschooler explore and learn about the outdoors in this new outdoor education program. This session will focus on using our eyes, ears, nose, and touch to observe nature and to participate in various fun activities.

### 3-6 YEARS

5343 W 1/11-3/8 10am-11am Riparian \$60  
Instructor: Riparian Staff

## STORY AND A SNACK

Children will enjoy a different exciting story each week all while enjoying a snack they made themselves! Children will hear a story that introduces the food experience, follow REBUS recipes to create their snack and then enjoy eating it! Additionally, children will participate in other story related songs and games creating a fun, social experience. **No Peanut products will be used during these activities. Please notify of any additional food allergies on first day of class.**

### 3-5 YEARS

5314 M 1/9-3/6\* 10-11am SERL \$45  
Instructor: Tracey Bailey **\*No Class 1/16 & 2/20**

## SUPERHERO SCIENCE

Has your little superhero ever wondered why Spiderman can climb up the side of buildings, or why Bruce Wayne is the Batman? Join us on this learning adventure as we explore the history and science behind some of our favorite heroes.

### 4-6 YEARS

5089 T 1/10-3/7 9-9:45am FRC \$55  
Instructor: Jessica Butler

## TINY TOTS PRESCHOOLERS

Your little one will make new friends and have lots of fun while getting an introduction to preschool. We'll practice fine motor skills, following directions and social skills. Beginning concepts such as letters, numbers, and colors will also be incorporated through crafts, songs, stories and games. **\*Please note this is NOT a parent/tot class. Only Registered participants are allowed in the room. Participants must be minimum age by the first day of class.\***

### \*2-3 YEARS\*

5262 W 1/11-3/8 10-10:45am SERL \$55  
5315 F 1/13-3/10 9-9:45am SERL \$55  
Instructor: Chelsea Hurlburt



## GYMNASTICS & ACTIVE MOVEMENT

### BEGINNING GYMNASTICS

Improve strength, flexibility, coordination and balance in positive, upbeat environment. Class encourages confidence and fitness and teaches kids valuable skills to take them to the next level. In this class students will learn basic floor exercise, beam, bar, and pre-vault skills.

#### 3-5 YEARS

5266 W 1/11-3/8 11:15am-12pm CC \$47  
5271 TH 1/12-3/9 11:45am-12:30pm CC \$47

Instructor: Jennifer Gallamore

5269 F 1/13-3/10 9-9:45am CC \$47  
5270 F 1/13-3/10 10-10:45am CC \$47

Instructor: Kaleb Allen

### BEGINNING GYMNASTICS II

This class is designed for students who have mastered the skills of Beginning Gymnastics I and are ready to learn backward rolls, cartwheels, and how to build a bridge. We'll be learning balance beam dismounts, new skills on the bar and trampoline, and fun group activities. *NOTE: Students must have completed Beginning Gymnastics to enroll in this class.*

#### 3 1/2-5 YEARS

5136 F 1/13-3/10 11-11:45am CC \$47

Instructor: Kaleb Allen

#### 4-6 YEARS

5479 TH 1/12-3/9 12:45pm-1:30pm CC \$47

Instructor: Jennifer Gallamore

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**FUN, FITNESS, AND TUMBLING**

Come and join us for some fun! This class will utilize props and equipment such as a balance beam, a parachute, balls, jump ropes and tunnels. We will also work on basic tumbling skills. Emphasis will be on self-esteem and interacting with others.

**3-5 YEARS**

5468	W	1/11-3/8	11-11:45am	CC	\$47
Instructor: Jennifer Myers					
5467	F	1/13-3/10	12-12:45pm	CC	\$47
Instructor: Kaleb Allen					
5093	M	1/9-3/6*	10-10:45am	FRC	\$37
Instructor: Jenn Myers <b>*No class 1/16 &amp; 2/20</b>					
5527	TH	1/12-3/9	3:30-4:15pm	FRC	\$47
Instructor: Kaleb Allen					

**HEAD OVER HEELS GYMNASTICS**

This class is geared towards the young gymnast that would like to learn basic floor gymnastics such as forward & straddle rolls and how to walk on a balance beam. They will also practice skills to accomplish headstands, beginner cartwheels and arching. Kids will work on gross motor skills such as balance, coordination and flexibility. Focus on hand to eye coordination through the use of bean bags, balls, buckets and hoops. Your kid will *flip* for this class!

**3-5 YEARS**

5196	M	1/9-3/6*	5-5:45pm	MPAC	\$37
Instructor: Kaytlyn Deering <b>*No class 1/16 &amp; 2/20</b>					
5433	T	1/10-3/7	11-11:45am	MPAC	\$47
Instructor: Camille Adams					
5434	W	1/11-3/8	3-3:45pm	MPAC	\$47
Instructor: Kaytlyn Deering					
5436	SAT	1/14-3/11	9:30-10:15am	MPAC	\$47
Instructor: TBA					

**4-6 YEARS**

5437	W	1/11-3/8	11-11:45am	MPAC	\$47
5438	TH	1/12-3/9	11:15am-12pm	MPAC	\$47
Instructor: Camille Adams					

**TINY TOTS TUMBLING**

Your tot will *flip* for this class! Learn basic tumbling techniques using mats, hoops, balance beams and other fun props and games. Emphasis will be on sharing, taking turns, following directions and cooperation. **\*This is NOT a Parent/Tot class. Participants must meet the minimum age requirement by the first day of class.\***

**\*2-3 YEARS\***

5258	M	1/9-3/6*	9-9:45am	SERL	\$37
5340	M	1/9-3/6*	10-10:45am	SERL	\$37
Instructor: Michelle Lohman <b>*No class 1/16 &amp; 2/20</b>					
5094	W	1/11-3/8	10-10:40am	MPAC	\$47
5449	TH	1/12-3/9	9:20-10am	MPAC	\$47

**3-5 YEARS**

5450	TH	1/12-3/9	10:15-11am	MPAC	\$47
Instructor: Camille Adams					
5451	F	1/13-3/10	10:45-11:30am	MPAC	\$47
Instructor: Lauren Cantrell					
5528	M	1/9-3/6*	11-11:45am	FRC	\$37
5195	SAT	1/14-3/11*	10-10:45am	FRC	\$42
Instructor: Jenn Myers <b>*No class 1/16, 2/11 &amp; 2/20</b>					

**TUMBLE BUGS**

Join our high energy adventure in rolling, bouncing, stretching, balance, listening skills, and body awareness through the use of beams, bars, tunnels, and tumbling mats. **\*This is NOT a Parent/Tot class. Participants must meet the minimum age requirement by the first day of class.\***

**\*2-3 ½ YEARS\***

5134	W	1/11-3/8	10:30-11am	CC	\$36
Instructor: Jennifer Gallamore					

**SPORTS****AWESOME ATHLETES**

Dribble, dunk and dash your way into this AWESOME sports class! Designed to give your little athlete a sampling of soccer, basketball, flag football, track and field, t-ball and a whole lot more! This is a great opportunity for your kiddo to join the team, have fun and practice good sportsmanship, following directions and teamwork. Grab your glove and register today to knock it out at the Rec! *Participants must wear tennis shoes.* **\*This is NOT a Parent/Tot class. Participants must meet the minimum age requirement by the first day of class.\***

**\*2 ½-3 ½ YEARS\***

5178	T	1/10-3/7	9-9:40am	MPAC	\$47
Instructor: Kelli Morgan					

**3-5 YEARS**

5470	TH	1/12-3/9	10:15-11am	MPAC	\$47
Instructor: TBA					
5112	W	1/11-3/8	10-10:45am	FRC	\$47
Instructor: Kelli Morgan					



"My son loved the variety of sports he played."

## BEGINNERS EDGE SPORTS TRAINING CLASSES



Beginners Edge Youth Sports Training Programs bring your player into the world of sports by teaching the sports skills they will need to get them ready to compete. Our fun training program is built to engage and excite them through multiple sessions of learning. Join the B.E.S.T. Team today and support the only non-franchise, locally owned and operated sports program here in AZ.

### 3-SPORT SKILLS CLASS WITH B.E.S.T.

The B.E.S.T. Youth Sports Program in Gilbert brings you 7 weeks covering 3 sports. We will teach your player how to kick and control a soccer ball, how to hit, catch, throw and run the bases for a baseball/softball and lastly they will be running, jumping and building strength and endurance in our Track & Field program. We will hold 3 weeks of Soccer so *please bring a size #3 or #4 soccer ball*, followed by 2 weeks of baseball/softball, *please bring a hitting tee* and we finish with 2 weeks of Track and Field. These classes will take place on the grassy area in front of Freestone Recreation Center.

#### 3-6 YEARS

5104	SAT	1/14-3/4*	12-12:45pm	FRC	\$77
5332	SUN	1/15-3/5*	10-10:45am	FRC	\$77

Instructor: Beginners Edge Sports Staff **\*No class 2/18 & 2/19**

### SOCCER SKILLS & FUN WITH B.E.S.T.

Our weekly soccer-skills class will teach your kids the skills of soccer by offering activities including; dribbling, kicking, throw-ins, and goalie skills (age permitting: scrimmaging and more). Over the course of 7 weeks your child will have fun WHILE learning from our experienced instructors. *Please bring a size #3 soccer ball with your child's name on it, a water bottle and lots of energy!* These classes will take place on the grassy area in front of Freestone Recreation Center.

#### 3-6 YEARS

5105	SAT	1/14-3/4*	10-10:45am	FRC	\$77
5333	SUN	1/15-3/5*	12-12:45pm	FRC	\$77

Instructor: Beginners Edge Sports Staff **\*No class 2/18 & 2/19**



### GOLF FOR LITTLE TIGERS

Basics, Basics, Basics is the model of this golf class for youngsters. They will receive PGA Professional instruction on all pre-shot fundamentals; grip, aim, stance and posture, chipping, pitching, putting and driver swing. Learning the basics will form good habits and prepare to play the game and have FUN on the golf course! *Golf clubs are available for use if you do not have your own. Closed toed shoes are required. Western Skies Golf Club (WS) is located at 1245 E. Warner Rd., Gilbert, AZ 85296.*

Week 1 Pre-shot fundamentals and basic swing

Week 2 Chipping and pitching

Week 3 Full iron swing from the fairway

Week 4 Putting including aim, stroke and reading the green

Week 5 Driver swing

#### 3-7 YEARS

5236	W	1/11-2/8	5-6pm	WS	\$95
5317	W	2/15-3/15	5-6pm	WS	\$95

Instructor: Mike Arrigoni, PGA

### GOLF JUNIOR SERIES

This class is perfect for both beginner and intermediate levels. Junior golfers will develop a proper pre-shot routine and jump right into the full swing. They will learn proper practice habits for chipping, pitching, putting, irons and driver swing. Rules, etiquette and golf course management will be taught accordingly. *Golf clubs are available for use if you do not have your own. Closed toed shoes are required. Western Skies Golf Club (WS) is located at 1245 E. Warner Rd., Gilbert, AZ 85296. Now you can choose classes that fit your schedule! Each class is \$20 and you can choose up to 5 classes per session.*

Class 1 Pre-shot fundamentals and basic swing

Class 2 Chipping and pitching

Class 3 Full iron swing from the fairway

Class 4 Putting including aim, stroke and reading the green

Class 5 Driver swing

#### 4-7 YEARS

5318	T	1/10-2/7	5-6pm	WS	\$100
5318	T	2/14-3/14	5-6pm	WS	\$100
5318	TH	1/12-2/9	5-6pm	WS	\$100
5318	TH	2/16-3/16	5-6pm	WS	\$100
5318	SAT	1/14-2/11	10-11am	WS	\$100
5318	SAT	2/18-3/18	10-11am	WS	\$100

Instructor: Mike Arrigoni, PGA

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**IntroSk8™**

AZ ICE Gilbert is proud to offer a brand new Learn to Skate program called IntroSk8™! Skaters will watch a 10 minute video and then take the ice for 1/2 hour skating lesson! We will teach you the safest methods for skating forward, stopping, falling down and getting up so that every time you go skating you have a great time! Classes are available for all ages, ranging from 4 years old to Adults! All skaters will watch the videos together, and then take the ice afterwards. Come skate with us-you'll have a blast! *Ice skates are provided. AZ Ice (AI) is located at 2305 E Knox Rd., Gilbert, AZ 85296.*

**4-6 YEARS**

5242	SAT	1/21	11:15am-12pm	AI	\$15
5319	SAT	1/28	11:15am-12pm	AI	\$15
5320	SAT	2/4	11:15am-12pm	AI	\$15
5321	SAT	2/11	11:15am-12pm	AI	\$15
5322	SAT	2/25	11:15am-12pm	AI	\$15
5323	SAT	3/4	11:15am-12pm	AI	\$15
5324	SAT	3/11	11:15am-12pm	AI	\$15

Instructor: AZ Ice Staff

**JUNIOR TENNIS LESSONS**

Kids will have a *BALL* being introduced to the fundamentals of tennis. They'll learn how to grip, serve, volley and lob through basic instructions and skills. This class will *SERVE* up a good time! *Taught by USPTA certified tennis instructor. Players need to provide own racquet.*

**4-6 YEARS**

5471	W	1/11-3/8	10:30-11:5am	MPAC	\$50
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Instructor: Karen Fleissner

**KIDDIE KICKERS**

Kick start your child's sport career in this introductory soccer class designed to enhance your child's physical and cognitive abilities. Basic ball handling skills such as kicking, passing and shooting will be learned during practice drills and game time. Good sportsmanship, teamwork and appropriate classroom behavior are encouraged. *Participants must wear sneakers.*

**3-6 YEARS**

5113	T	1/10-3/7	3:45-4:30pm	FRC	\$47
5518	W	1/11-3/8	11-11:45am	FRC	\$47
5519	F	1/13-3/10	10-10:45am	FRC	\$47

Instructor: Kelli Morgan

**LITTLE HOOPSTERS**

This program is intended to teach the participant the fundamentals of basketball while providing a positive recreational experience for boys and girls. Participants will learn shooting, passing, dribbling, drills. Other games may be incorporated as well to help enhance motor skills.

**3-6 YEARS**

5114	T	1/10-3/7	4:45-5:30pm	FRC	\$47
5522	F	1/13-3/10	9-9:45am	FRC	\$37

Instructor: Kelli Morgan

**MEGA SUPER SPORTS MANIA**

Your super star will learn the basic skills of a variety of sports and games that will help build strong bones and healthy bodies. We'll focus on motor skills, balance, coordination, flexibility and social development as we interact and have fun. Concentration will be on soccer, basketball, t-ball, hockey, kickball and tennis. *Participants must wear tennis shoes.*

**3-6 YEARS**

5203	T	1/10-3/7	11:30am-12:15pm	MPAC	\$47
5472	W	1/11-3/8	12:15-1pm	MPAC	\$47

Instructor: Kelli Morgan

**MY FAVORITE SPORTS**

This class will have all of your little ones favorite sports combined into one action packed session. Kids will have social interaction and learn fine motor skills with sports like soccer, t-ball, hockey and football. A class for any sports enthusiast. Good sportsmanship, teamwork and appropriate classroom behavior will be emphasized. Other active games may be introduced to help enhance your child's experience and fine motor skills. *Participants must wear tennis shoes.*

**3-5 YEARS**

5116	W	1/11-3/8	9-9:45am	FRC	\$47
5524	F	1/13-3/10	11-11:45am	FRC	\$47

Instructor: Kelli Morgan

**3-6 YEARS**

5204	W	1/11-3/8	1:15-2pm	MPAC	\$47
5473	TH	1/12-3/9	11:15am-12pm	MPAC	\$47

Instructor: TBA

**PEE WEE P.E.**

Your little sportster will enjoy this high energy class that will keep 'em moving by playing a variety of sports and games; soccer, tennis, hockey, t-ball, obstacle course, relay races and much, much more! Emphasis on skill development, teamwork, good sportsmanship and physical activity to help build strong bones and encourage socialization. This is a non-competitive, playful atmosphere. *Participants must wear tennis shoes. \*This is NOT a Parent/Tot class. Participants must meet the minimum age requirement by the first day of class.\**

**\*2½-3½ YEARS\***

5205	T	1/10-3/7	10:35-11:15am	MPAC	\$47
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Instructor: Kelli Morgan

**3-5 YEARS**

5474	TH	1/12-3/9	12:15-1pm	MPAC	\$47
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Instructor: TBA

**Credit/Refund requests must be received by 6pm, one week before the start of a class, camp or program.**

*Call (480) 503-6200 for further information.*





## SPORTBALL CLASSES

Sportball utilizes developmentally appropriate techniques to enhance

motor skills, social skills and sport strategy. All classes are taught by coaches that are professionally trained and must pass a rigorous Sportball certification process. Sportball provides all equipment.

### SPORTBALL BASKETBALL

Slam-dunk! Sportball Basketball introduces fundamental concepts of gameplay and teaches the basic skills required to hit the court with confidence in a supportive, non-league environment. Coaches zero in on skills like dribbling, passing, catching, shooting and defense in fun, exciting, skill-focused play. *All equipment is provided. Classes at Discovery Park (DPARK) & McQueen Park (MPARK) will take place outside on the basketball courts.*

#### 3-6 YEARS

5109	TH	1/12-3/9	4:15-5:15pm	FRC	\$99
5155	F	1/13-3/10	5:30-6:30pm	DPARK	\$99
5055	F	1/13-3/10	5:30-6:30pm	MPARK	\$99

### SPORTBALL MULTI-SPORT

Refine, rehearse, and repeat. Multi-Sport classes are the heart of Sportball programming. Coaches focus on the basic skills common to all sports, like balance, coordination, stamina and timing in a fun, supportive, non-competitive setting that emphasizes teamwork. Each class focuses on one of eight different popular sports: hockey, soccer, football, baseball, basketball, volleyball, golf and tennis. *All equipment is provided. Classes at Freestone Park (FPARK) will take place at the tennis courts. Classes at Freestone Recreation Center (FRC) will take place on the grassy area in front of Freestone Recreation Center. Classes at McQueen Park (MPARK) will take place on the multi-purpose fields behind McQueen Park Activity Center.*

#### 3-5 YEARS

5152	W	1/11-3/8	10-11am	FRC	\$99
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#### 3-6 YEARS

5057	TH	1/12-3/9	5:30-6:30pm	FPARK	\$99
5334	SAT	1/14-3/11	9:45-10:45am	CC	\$99
5335	SAT	1/14-3/11	10:30-11:30am	MPARK	\$99

### SPORTBALL SOCCER

Kickstart your day! Sportball Soccer introduces fundamental concepts of gameplay and teaches the basic skills required to bend it like Beckham in a supportive, non-league environment. Coaches zero in on skills like throw-ins, dribbling, trapping and passing in fun, exciting, skill-focused play. *All equipment is provided. A one-time material fee of \$20 will be collected by the instructor on the first day of class. The material fee is for a jersey and soccer ball. The class at McQueen Park (MPARK) will take place on the multi-purpose fields behind McQueen Park Activity Center. The class at Freestone Recreation Center (FRC) will take place on the grassy area in front of Freestone Recreation Center.*

#### 3-5 YEARS

5156	SAT	1/14-3/11	12:30-1:30pm	MPARK	\$99
5164	SAT	1/14-3/11	10:45-11:45pm	CC	\$99

#### 4-6 YEARS

5336	T	1/10-3/7	4:30-5:30pm	FRC	\$99
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### SPORTBALL T-BALL

Big League Fun! Sportball Baseball or Sportball T-Ball introduces fundamental concepts of gameplay and teaches the basic skills required to play ball with confidence in a supportive, non-league environment. Coaches zero in on skills like throwing, catching, batting form, running bases and fielding in fun, exciting, skill-focused play. **A one-time material fee of \$15 will be collected by the instructor on the first day of class. The material fee is for a t-shirt and hat. Please bring a baseball glove, all other equipment provided. Classes at McQueen Park (MPARK) will take place on the multi-purpose fields behind McQueen Park Activity Center. The class at Freestone Recreation Center (FRC) will take place on the grassy area in front of Freestone Recreation Center.**

#### 4-6 YEARS

5166	W	1/11-3/8	11-12pm	FRC	\$99
5337	SAT	1/14-3/11	11:30am-12:30pm	MPARK	\$99
5338	SAT	1/14-3/11	2-3pm	MPARK	\$99

Instructor: Sportball Staff

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## ARTS &amp; CRAFTS

## DRAWING AND PERSPECTIVE

Participants will learn how to draw shapes and forms that surround us. They will also learn how to create drawings from their imagination and how to see vanishing points in buildings, roads, etc.

## 8-15 YEARS

5051 TH 1/12-3/9 4-5:30pm CC \$78

Instructor: Susan Garner

## ELEMENTS OF ART

Develop fundamental art concepts and hone your ability to make artistic decisions. Media exploration is encouraged using markers, pastels, watercolor and acrylic paint, as well as colored pencils. Learn sophisticated art concepts such as form, pattern, texture and contrast through the introduction of the "elements and principles of art."

## 6-12 YEARS

5049 W 1/11-3/8 4:30-5:45pm CC \$78

Instructor: Lisa Martineau

## WARM &amp; FUZZY DECORATIONS

Decorate your room YOUR way with DIY crafts! Pom-pom pillow, canvas tree art and much more! Great for first time through experienced crafters! *Supplies included.*

## 8-15 YEARS

5529 M 1/9-3/6\* 4-5pm FRC \$52

Instructor: Jenn Myers **\*No class 1/16 & 2/20**

new!

## ZENTANGLE FOR KIDS

Zentangle for Kids uses the same method and philosophy of instruction as used in the Beginning Zentangle Method Class. The materials are modified to be more suitable for children's needs; larger tiles and pens. Children create amazing pieces of art using the Zentangle Method. What is fascinating about Zentangle is that it stretches across cultures, religions, media and ages boosting focus, concentration and creativity! **A \$12 Supply fee will be collected by the instructor at the beginning of class.**

## 6-12 YEARS

5352 SAT 2/4 2-4pm SERL \$30

Instructor: Debbie Hoxea



## COOKING

## COOKING 101 FOR YOUTH

Calling all culinary enthusiasts! This fun class will teach your child the basics of baking and cooking! Each week will have a different focus and we'll make appetizers, main dishes, breakfast items and desserts. Get ready to taste some amazing foods! Recipes will be given in each class to recreate at home. *Bring a storage container to transport food from class. Not recommended for children with food allergies.*

## 5-8 YEARS

5173 F 1/13-3/10 4:10-5pm MPAC \$65

## 7-12 YEARS

5478 F 1/13-3/10 5:15-6:05pm MPAC \$65

Instructor: Camille Adams



## DANCE &amp; CHEER

## BALLET/TAP

Are you ready to learn lots of great dance moves you can show your friends and family? Each class we will focus on ballet and tap. We will learn everything from pleas and tendues, to flaps and shuffles, to chases and leaps! We will focus on technique through fun and exciting dance moves at the barre, in the center and across the floor.

## 5-7 YEARS

5531 M 1/9-3/6\* 5-5:45pm FRC \$37

Instructor: Antonia Behnke **\*No class 1/16 & 2/20**

new!

## BATON 101

Has your child ever wanted to learn the basics of baton? We will learn beginning baton twirling, tricks and throws along with dance moves to a fun energizing routine. Baton purchase recommended to fit your child's arm length.

## 5-7 YEARS

5530 M 1/9-3/6\* 5:30-6:15pm FRC \$37

Instructor: Jenn Myers **\*No class 1/16 & 2/20**

## BEGINNING BALLET-YOUTH

Blossom into a graceful and elegant dancer while you experience the beauty of ballet. Learn basic ballet vocabulary; develop strength, proper alignment and grace. *Ballet shoes recommended.*

## 6-9 YEARS

5298 TH 1/12-3/9 5-5:45pm CC \$37

Instructor: Lauren Cantrell

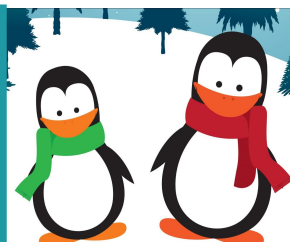
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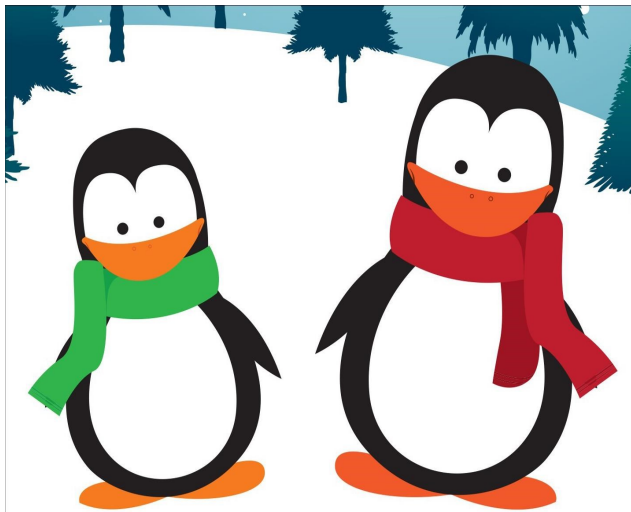
See DANCE section under ADULT for class descriptions and info.

## CREATE YOUR NEW ACCOUNT WITH US!

Gilbert Parks & Recreation has a new registration system. Please go to [GilbertRecreation.com](http://GilbertRecreation.com) to create a new account. New accounts are required to be able to register for Winter Programs.

Don't wait! Registration begins December 13th!





### CHEER, CHANTS & TUMBLE

The girls on this squad will learn basic cheer, tumbling, simple chants, kicks, dances and jumps set to age appropriate music. Skills are broken down into easy to follow steps, which will be put together into a short, fun routine to be performed at the end of the session.

#### 5-7 YEARS

5480 M 1/9-3/6\* 4-4:45pm FRC \$37

Instructor: Antonia Behnke \*No class 1/16 & 2/20

### CHEERLEADING 101

A fun and exciting way to introduce kids to the basic skills of cheerleading. Emphasis is on building trust and confidence while encouraging their personal best. Build strength, flexibility and learn basic technical skills such as tumbling, dance, jumps, cheers and stunts to be successful in their squad.

#### 6-12 YEARS

5186 TH 1/12-3/9 6:15-7pm MPAC \$47

Instructor: Kaytlyn Deering

### DANCE COMBO

Looking for just the right type of dance to get your toes tapping? This class will give you the opportunity to try out a variety of dance styles as each week focuses on a different dance. Could be a mix of ballet, tap, tumbling, hip hop, ballroom, jazz, lyrical, pom and cheer routines, Broadway, clogging, swing, etc. A kaleidoscope of options awaits!

#### 6-12 YEARS

5081 W 1/11-3/8 4-4:45pm FRC \$47

Instructor: Jenn Myers

### DANCE FUSION

Add a pinch of ballet, jazz, tap, hip hop and a smidge of tumbling to create this one-of-a-kind dance fusion. Kids will learn the basic moves put to their favorite music and enjoy making new friends. Perfect for someone who wants it all!

#### 5-8 YEARS

5187 T 1/10-3/7 4:15-5pm MPAC \$47

Instructor: TBA

### DANCING DIVAS

Sparkle and shine and unleash your inner diva! Learn fun dance moves and routines set to the hottest (edited) music heard on the radio. Basic jazz, hip hop and even a little bit of tap will be broken down for easy to follow moves. Sign up with a friend or make a new one in class!

#### 5-8 YEARS

5188 SAT 1/14-3/11 11:30am-12:15pm MPAC \$47

#### 6-12 YEARS

5498 TH 1/12-3/9 6-6:45pm MPAC \$47

Instructor: Jennifer Boubeliks

### DJ DANCE MOVES

This one's for all you funky fresh peeps that wanna learn how to hip hop dance. Basic dance moves will be taught at a comfortable pace to age appropriate music. Your rock star will get to show off in a dance off performed on the last day of class.

#### 6-12 YEARS

5500 TH 1/12-3/9 4:15-5pm MPAC \$47

Instructor: Kaytlyn Deering

### FAIRYTALE BALLET-YOUTH

Blossom into a graceful and elegant dancer while you experience the beauty of ballet. Learn basic ballet vocabulary; develop strength, proper alignment and grace. *Ballet shoes recommended.*

#### 5-8 YEARS

5189 F 1/13-3/10 5-5:45pm MPAC \$47

Instructor: Jenn Myers

### HIP HOP DANCE

In this basic hip hop class you will learn combinations broken down step by step and taught at a comfortable pace to Hip Hop music. You can also get into great shape and meet tons of new friends, so come on in and join the fun!

#### 6-12 YEARS

5078 W 1/11-3/8 5-5:45pm FRC \$47

Instructor: Jenn Myers

### MUSICAL THEATRE

Get ready to dance AND sing your heart out in this awesome class! We'll learn songs from Broadway musicals, songs you recognize and songs with positive messages. This class will teach your child to have confidence in themselves and their talents. Everyone will get a chance to showcase what we've learned on the last day as a recital. Don't miss out on all the fun! Sign up with a friend or make a new one!

#### 5-8 YEARS

5503 TH 1/12-3/9 5:15-6pm MPAC \$47

#### 6-12 YEARS

5506 M 1/9-3/6\* 6-6:45pm MPAC \$37

Instructor: Kaytlyn Deering \*No class 1/16 & 2/20



**Look for this icon to see our exciting new! offerings this session**



new!

**TEEN HIP HOP**

An urban dance form choreographed to hip hop and rap music (clean and edited). Hip Hop incorporates rhythm, isolations, arm movement and footwork. These classes teach popping, locking, waving, breaking and more. Hip Hop enhances strength and good cardiovascular fitness in a fun and funky way! *Desert Star Dance (DSD) is located at 1020 E. Ray Rd. Suite 7 Chandler 85225.*

**11-18 YEARS**

5353 T 1/10-2/28 8-9pm DSD \$80  
Instructor: Desert Star Dance Staff

**ENRICHMENT****SAT BOOTCAMP**

This Boot Camp is an intensive four-hour workshop that focuses on strategy; how to take the test, how to avoid the traps test writers set. The focus will be on the New/Revised SAT that will be given this year. Presentations are given with visual Power Point backup, and students are provided a Basic Training Manual containing all the workshop information in print including practice questions, tips and vocabulary lists. *Students, please bring a pencil and notebook to class.*

**13-19 YEARS**

5246 SAT 2/18 9am-1pm SERL \$99  
Instructor: Test Prep Bootcamp Staff

**EQUESTRIAN****ADVANCED HORSEMANSHIP**

Prerequisite: Must have taken Intermediate Horsemanship in the past year. This fast paced class is designed to work with those who want training techniques for both horse and rider. We will work more intensively on each student's abilities and areas they wish to progress in such as trail riding, western pleasure, barrel racing, roping and team penning. We will cover fundamentals of each area of interest for each student. **Students under 18 must have parent/guardian sign a liability waiver at first class.** *Valley Silver Bullets (VSB) is located at 43757 N. Coyote Rd., San Tan Valley, AZ 85140.*

**6+ YEARS**

91088 T 12/6-12/27 7-8pm VSB \$136  
5233 T 1/3-1/24 7-8pm VSB \$136  
5355 T 3/7-3/28 7-8pm VSB \$136

**BEGINNING HORSEMANSHIP**

This class is designed to teach students the basics of Western riding horsemanship. We will begin with grooming, general care and saddling safely. We will cover mounting and dismounting, proper posture and balance when riding. We will work with each student on simple control techniques such as asking the horses to walk and stop. **Students under 18 must have parent/guardian sign a liability waiver at first class.** *Valley Silver Bullets (VSB) is located at 43757 N. Coyote Rd., San Tan Valley, AZ 85140.*

**6+ YEARS**

5231 T 1/3-1/24 6-7pm VSB \$136  
5356 T 2/7-2/28 6-7pm VSB \$136

**INTERMEDIATE HORSEMANSHIP**

Prerequisite: Must have taken Beginning Horsemanship or Introduction to Horsemanship in the past year. This class will focus on more specific control and Western riding techniques such as getting the horse to respond to certain cues and learning how to post while in a trot. We will cover different gaits, as well as identifying the gait and correct leads while mounted. **Students under 18 must have parent/guardian sign a liability waiver at first class.** *Valley Silver Bullets (VSB) is located at 43757 N. Coyote Rd., San Tan Valley, AZ 85140.*

**6+ YEARS**

91087 T 12/6-12/27 6-7pm VSB \$136  
5232 T 2/7-2/28 7-8pm VSB \$136  
5357 T 3/7-3/28 6-7pm VSB \$136

**GYMNASTICS****DYNAMIC GYMNASTICS**

Dynamic Gymnastics is designed for those beginning athletes who are new the sport of tumbling and gymnastics. Teaching the basic gymnastic elements and building confidence with the required skills needed to advance. Dynamic gymnastics focuses on strength and flexibility, forward and backward rolls, cartwheels and round-offs, backbend flexibility, handstands and the back handspring.

**6-8 YEARS**

5139 T 1/10-3/7 6-6:50pm CC \$47  
5448 F 1/13-3/10 4:15-5pm CC \$47

Instructor: Kaleb Allen

**GYMNASTICS 101**

**BEGINNER LEVEL: Best recommended for kids needing help to master the basic skills.** Improve strength, flexibility, coordination and balance in positive, upbeat environment. Class encourages confidence and fitness and teaches kids valuable skills to take them to the next level. Progression is at-their-own-pace and they'll enjoy social interaction with peers. Focus on floor gymnastics; front/back rolls, handstands, cartwheels, backbends and balancing.

**5-8 YEARS**

5197 W 1/11-3/8 4-4:50pm MPAC \$47

Instructor: Kaytlyn Deering

5509 SAT 1/14-3/11 10:30-11:20am MPAC \$47

Instructor: TBA

**6-9 YEARS**

5510 M 1/9-3/6\* 4-4:55pm MPAC \$37

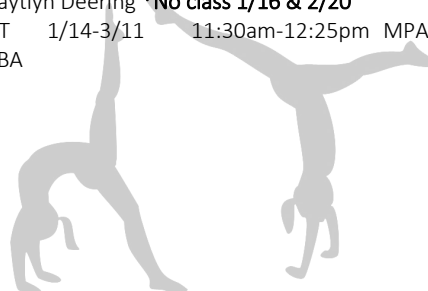
**8-12 YEARS**

5512 W 1/11-3/8 5-5:55pm MPAC \$47

Instructor: Kaytlyn Deering **\*No class 1/16 & 2/20**

5513 SAT 1/14-3/11 11:30am-12:25pm MPAC \$47

Instructor: TBA



**GYMNASTICS 102**

**INTERMEDIATE LEVEL:** *Best recommended for kids who have mastered the basic skills and have prior gymnastics background.* This class is a continuation of skill development from Gymnastics 101 with more emphasis on strength and flexibility. Kids will learn the next set of progression to include walkovers through full range of motion. Class stresses safety and spotting techniques and will begin working on a routine that will be performed at the end of the session.

**6-12 YEARS**

5198 W 1/11-3/8 6-6:55pm MPAC \$47

Instructor: Kaytlyn Deering

5515 SAT 1/14-3/11 12:30-1:25pm MPAC \$47

Instructor: TBA

**TUMBLE & SHOUT**

Need a positive outlet for your child's energy and excitement? This beginning class is a great introduction to tumbling and floor gymnastics. Participants will have a terrific time learning somersaults, backbends, handstands, cartwheels, and round offs. Your child will be head over heels for this class.

**7-12 YEARS**

5080 TH 1/12-3/9 4:30-5:15pm FRC \$47

Instructor: Kaleb Allen

5535 SAT 1/14-3/11\* 11-11:45am FRC \$42

Instructor: Jenn Myers **\*No class 2/11**

**HEALTH & FITNESS****FUN & FITNESS BY BOUNCE BOOT CAMP**

Founded by a former NFL player, Bounce Boot Camp is the FIRST company in the world that combines the fun of inflatable obstacle courses, castles, and slides into an amazingly fun program for everyone. Bounce Boot Camp puts the "fun" back into fitness and will create a memorable experience for all ages and groups. Bouncing in the inflatable equipment is not only fun, it has been shown to improve cardiovascular health, core strength, balance, and coordination.

**5-14 YEARS**

5064 T 1/10-1/31 6-7pm FPARK \$50

5370 T 2/7-2/28 6-7pm FPARK \$50

Instructor: Richard Muro

**MARTIAL ARTS****SANCHIN-RYU KARATE**

Sanchin-Ryu is an artistic form of self-defense designed in a way, so that size and strength, age and athletic ability aren't factors in defending one's self. Taught on an individual basis, students study in a non-competitive environment while working on Sanchin-Ryu's practical movements and non-nonsense approach to self-defense. To truly understand every facet of conflict resolution we study three levels of self-defense awareness; physical, mental and emotional. Emphasis is on having fun, building self-confidence, coordination, and leadership skills through the study of a true martial art. Classes are taught in a fun, high-energy environment. Instructors: Black Belts; Steven Ahles, 7th Dan, Doug Sawyer, 3rd Dan, and Brent Sawyer 3rd Dan.

**SANCHIN-RYU KARATE-ADVANCED**

This advanced class will be structured for those students holding the rank of Purple belt or higher. Students will study advanced Sanchin-Ryu forms and their hand to hand application.

**9+ YEARS**

5159 W 1/11-3/8 6:30-8:30pm MPAC \$90

Instructor: Sanchin-Ryu Karate Staff

**SANCHIN-RYU KARATE-FAMILY**

For individuals and families from all walks of life. Come study the full form of Sanchin-Ryu, an artistic form of self-defense designed in a way, so that size or strength, age or athletic ability are not factors in defending one's self. Have fun learning a true martial Art in a non-competitive, fun, high-energy environment. Family participation is encouraged. Open to all levels of students.

**6+ YEARS**

5102 M 1/9-3/6\* 6:30-7:30pm CC \$35

5374 W 1/11-3/8 5:30-6:30pm MPAC \$45

5375 F 1/13-3/10 6:30-7:30pm FRC \$45

5376 SAT 1/14-3/11 9:30-10:30am FRC \$45

Instructor: Sanchin-Ryu Karate Staff **\*No class 1/16 & 2/20**

**SANCHIN-RYU KARATE & SELF-DEFENSE FOR YOUTH**

Students will learn alternatives to fighting and be empowered with techniques to handle everyday scenarios they may encounter at work, school, the park and even among friends. In a fun, high-energy, go-at-your-own pace environment students build self-confidence, develop focus, discipline and physical fitness. Students are taught the full form of Sanchin-Ryu, an artistic form of self-defense designed in a way, so that size or strength, age or athletic ability are not factors in defending one's self. These classes are age appropriate for content and situational subjects.

**6-12 YEARS**

5101 F 1/13-3/10 4:30-5:30pm FRC \$45

Instructor: Sanchin-Ryu Karate Staff



new!

**SANCHIN-RYU KARATE-WINTER WORKSHOPS**

This event is a life enriching opportunity for any student studying Sanchin-Ryu. Whether you are a beginning white-belt student or a seasoned master, the topics and information presented at this event, are just what you need to rev up your training, and truly take your studies to the next level. Come be a part of this truly unforgettable weekend! A wide range of topics will be covered! All exercises are instructed in a way that is easy to understand and follow. In previous years, we've covered topics as broad as understanding the mechanics of karate, and as specialized as kumite strategies derived from forms and kata. Hand-to-hand techniques, ranging from fundamental to advanced, will also be worked. This workshop is open to individuals and families from all walks of life. Come study the full form of Sanchin-Ryu, an artistic form of self-defense designed in a way, so that size or strength, age or athletic ability are not factors in defending one's self. Have fun learning a true martial Art in a non-competitive, fun, high-energy environment. Family participation is encouraged. Open to all levels of students.

**6-12 YEARS-YOUTH**

5377	SAT	2/11	8:45-10:45am	FRC	\$30
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**6+ YEARS-FAMILY**

5379	SAT	2/11	1-3pm	FRC	\$30
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**6+ YEARS-BROWN BELT**

5380	SAT	2/11	4-7pm	FRC	\$45
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Instructor: Sanchin-Ryu Karate Staff

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**SANCHIN-RYU'S SELF-DEFENSE FOR TEENS & PARENTS**

Learn street-wise techniques designed in a way, so that size, strength, age or athletic ability are not factors in defending one's self. Learn to act on stressful situations rather than being controlled by them. Sign up for this class by yourself or with a family member or friend! Please wear comfortable clothing that does not restrict movement and covers the shoulders.

**12+ YEARS**

5381	T	1/24	11am-2pm	FRC	\$24
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Instructor: Sanchin-Ryu Karate Staff

**SPECIAL INTEREST****ASHI CHILD & BABYSITTING SAFETY TRAINING CLASS**

The Childcare & Babysitting course (CABS) helps build confidence, self-esteem and skills necessary to care for infants and children on a daily basis and in emergency situations. The course includes CPR & First aid, diaper changing, feeding and choking prevention. Students will receive a workbook and a certificate upon completion. **Please bring a sack lunch.**

**11-16 YEARS**

5385	SAT	1/7	9:30am-1:30pm	SERL	\$55
5386	SAT	2/11	9:30am-1:30pm	SERL	\$55
5387	SAT	3/18	9:30am-1:30pm	SERL	\$55

Instructor: Cross' Lifeline Emergency Staff

**BEGINNING SIGN LANGUAGE**

Come Learn the basics of American Sign Language! This course will teach basic grammar and Deaf culture lessons as well as lay the foundation of communication in ASL. Subjects such as the alphabet, colors, animals, foods and more will be discussed.

**6-9 YEARS**

5454	T	1/10-3/7	5-5:50pm	CC	\$45
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Instructor: Lauren Cantrell

**SPORTS****GOLF JUNIOR SERIES**

This class is perfect for both beginner and intermediate levels. Junior golfers will develop a proper pre-shot routine and jump right into the full swing. They will learn proper practice habits for chipping, pitching, putting, irons and driver swing. Rules, etiquette and golf course management will be taught accordingly. *Golf clubs are available for use if you do not have your own. Closed toed shoes are required. Western Skies Golf Club (WS) is located at 1245 E. Warner Rd., Gilbert, AZ 85296. Participants will be split by age group at each class. Now you can choose classes that fit your schedule! Choose from the selection of listed times and days when you register online and pay by the class. Each class is \$20 and you can choose up to 5 classes per session.*

Class 1 Pre-shot fundamentals and basic swing

Class 2 Chipping and pitching

Class 3 Full iron swing from the fairway

Class 4 Putting including aim, stroke and reading the green

Class 5 Driver swing

**6-16 YEARS**

5318	T	1/10-2/7	5-6pm	WS	\$100
5318	T	2/14-3/14	5-6pm	WS	\$100
5318	TH	1/12-2/9	5-6pm	WS	\$100
5318	TH	2/16-3/16	5-6pm	WS	\$100
5318	SAT	1/14-2/11	10-11am	WS	\$100
5318	SAT	2/18-3/18	10-11am	WS	\$100

Instructor: Mike Arrigoni, PGA



## HOOP IT UP! YOUTH

This program is intended to teach boys and girls the fundamentals of basketball while providing a positive recreational experience. Participants will learn the rules of the game, how to shoot, pass and dribble and most importantly, to have fun!

### 7-10 YEARS

5533 T 1/10-3/7 5:45-6:15pm FRC \$47  
Instructor: Kelli Morgan

**new!**

## INTERMEDIATE VOLLEYBALL

Review basic volleyball skills: bump, set, spike, and serve. Learning advanced skill through drills and instruction. Participants must have taken the beginners volleyball class to learn the basics before taking the Intermediate. **Participants need to wear tennis shoes and may bring their own volleyball to class each day.**

### 9-15 YEARS

5534 T 1/10-3/7 6:30-7:30pm FRC \$47  
Instructor: Kelli Morgan

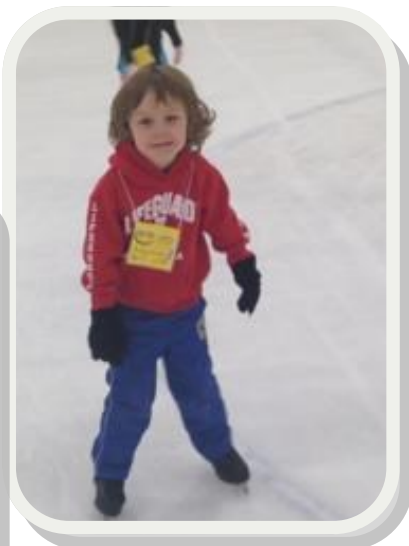
## IntroSk8™-YOUTH

AZ ICE Gilbert is proud to offer a brand new Learn to Skate program called IntroSk8™! Skaters will watch a 10 minute video and then take the ice for 1/2 hour skating lesson! We will teach you the safest methods for skating forward, stopping, falling down and getting up so that every time you go skating you have a great time! Classes are available for all ages, ranging from 4 years old to Adults! All skaters will watch the videos together, and then take the ice afterwards. Come skate with us-you'll have a blast! *Ice skates are provided. AZ Ice (AI) is located at 2305 E Knox Rd., Gilbert, AZ 85296.*

### 7-13 YEARS

5325	SAT	1/21	11:15am-12pm	AI	\$15
5326	SAT	1/28	11:15am-12pm	AI	\$15
5327	SAT	2/4	11:15am-12pm	AI	\$15
5328	SAT	2/11	11:15am-12pm	AI	\$15
5329	SAT	2/25	11:15am-12pm	AI	\$15
5330	SAT	3/4	11:15am-12pm	AI	\$15
5331	SAT	3/11	11:15am-12pm	AI	\$15

Instructor: AZ Ice Staff



## MENTAL SPORTS & FITNESS ACADEMY CLASSES

Kids will be coached on how to play several different sports while staying fit and having fun. Kids will also learn commitment, sportsmanship, leadership skills and team work. These classes will be trained by Coach Richardson, a former professional athlete. The objective of these classes is for kids to have fun while staying fit!

### FUNDAMENTAL FOOTBALL

In this football class kids will learn the fundamentals of football while developing new skills. Kids will be coached by a former 5 year professional football player. Kids will learn teamwork, sportsmanship and commitment. Kids will be trained at their skilled position which includes: QB, TE, RB, SS, FS, WR and CB. Participants will go through drills that will help improve their speed and agility. Kids will also compete with each other during one-on-one sessions. Learn from Coach Richardson a former professional athlete and take your game to the next level.

#### 6-13 YEARS

5066 SAT 1/14-3/11 9-9:55am FRC \$75

### FUNDAMENTAL HOOPS!

In this basketball class kids will learn the basics and fundamentals of basketball while having fun. They will learn teamwork, sportsmanship and commitment. We will teach each kid the principal of basketball so they can enhance their basketball skills. The objective of this class is to have each kid learn the game of basketball and develop new skills. Learn from Coach Richardson a former professional athlete and take your game to the next level.

#### 6-13 YEARS

5067 SAT 1/14-3/11 10-10:55am FRC \$99

### FUNDAMENTAL SOCCER

In this soccer class kids will learn the basics and fundamentals of soccer while having fun. They will learn teamwork, sportsmanship and commitment. We will teach each kid the principals of soccer so they can enhance their soccer skills. The objective of the class is to learn the game of soccer and develop new skills. Learn from Coach Richardson a former professional athlete and take your game to the next level.

#### 6-13 YEARS

5069 SAT 1/14-3/11 11-11:55am FRC \$50

### FUNDAMENTAL SPEED & AGILITY

In this Speed and Agility class kids will learn the basics and fundamentals of speed and agility. Kids will learn teamwork, sportsmanship and commitment. We will teach each kid the proper way to stretch and warm up to avoid injuries. Kids will go through circuit training throughout the course of the class, competing with other participants. The objective of this class is for each kid to have a fun time while also becoming a better athlete. Learn from Coach Richardson a former professional athlete and take your game to the next level. **This class will meet on the grassy area in front of the Freestone Skate Park.**

#### 6-13 YEARS

5065 SAT 1/14-3/11 12-12:55pm FRC \$75

**RACQUETBALL 101 FOR ADULT & YOUTH/TEEN**

This is a Parent with Youth/Teen course that creates a unique opportunity to learn racquetball together as well as something that could create a lifetime bond. You will both learn from our professional coaches how to work on the basic fundamentals of teaching, drilling, and playing with each other at the same time you will both improve on your speed, agility, eye hand coordination, etc. No matter the skill level of the adult or youth you can each start to learn coaching skills and tricks to keep each other in the game. Come join in the fun! **Each participant must register for this class.**

**10+ YEARS**

5103	M	1/9-2/6	5-6pm	FRC	\$70
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Instructors: Top Touring Pros from Key Sports

**RACQUETBALL 101 FOR YOUTH**

Looking to learn a fun fast sport? Improve on your speed, agility, eye hand coordination through the art of racquetball. While you learn the basic fundamentals as you play you will be developing major athletic skills which will help you in other sports. We can teach you how to beat your opponents. Learn how to develop a high school racquetball club and become involved in the sport. We can provide racquets, eyewear, balls and fun if needed.

**10-16 YEARS**

5110	M	1/9-2/6	4-5pm	FRC	\$70
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Instructors: Top Touring Pros from Key Sports

**SPORTBALL CLASSES**

Sportball utilizes developmentally appropriate techniques to enhance

motor skills, social skills and sport strategy. All coaches are professionally trained and must pass a rigorous Sportball certification process. Sportball provides all equipment.

**SPORTBALL BASEBALL-SKILLS DEVELOPMENT**

For kids looking to develop and refine their skills in a fun, safe OUTDOOR environment without the stress and high ratios of a competitive league. Certified Sportball coaches recognize and teach to a child's individual skill level, enabling each child to progress in-line with their abilities. Skills include: throwing, catching, correct batting form, running bases, fielding and positional play. *Please bring a baseball glove. This class will take place on the multi-use fields behind McQueen Park Activity Center.*

**6-10 YEARS**

5154	SAT	1/14-3/11	2-3pm	MPARK	\$99
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Instructor: Sportball Staff

**SPORTBALL BASKETBALL-SKILLS DEVELOPMENT**

Slam-dunk! Sportball Basketball introduces fundamental concepts of gameplay and teaches the basic skills required to hit the court with confidence in a supportive, non-league environment. Coaches zero in on skills like dribbling, passing, catching, shooting and defense in fun, exciting, skill-focused play. *All equipment is provided. Discovery Park (DPARK) and McQueen Park (MPARK) classes will meet outside on the basketball courts.*

**6-10 YEARS**

5399	TH	1/12-3/9	5:15-6:15pm	FRC	\$99
5400	F	1/13-3/10	6:30-7:30pm	DPARK	\$99
5398	F	1/13-3/10	6:30-7:30pm	MPARK	\$99

Instructor: Sportball Staff

**SPORTBALL SOCCER-SKILLS DEVELOPMENT**

For kids looking to develop and refine their skills in a fun, safe OUTDOOR environment without the stress and high ratios of a competitive league. Certified Sportball coaches recognize and teach to a child's individual skill level, enabling each child to progress in-line with their abilities. Skills include throw-ins, dribbling, trapping, passing, goalie skills and more! All necessary EQUIPMENT PROVIDED. *Bring water and wear tennis shoes. The class at McQueen Park (MPARK) will take place on the multi-use fields behind McQueen Park Activity Center. The class at Freestone Recreation Center will take place on the grassy area in front of Freestone Recreation Center.*

**6-10 YEARS**

5401	SAT	1/14-3/11	12:30-1:30pm	MPARK	\$99
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**7-10 YEARS**

5403	T	1/10-3/7	5:30-6:30pm	FRC	\$99
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Instructor: Sportball Staff

**SPORTBALL TENNIS- SKILLS DEVELOPMENT**

Certified Sportball coaches develop competence and confidence teaching the fundamental skills necessary to excel in Tennis. Coaches recognize and teach to a child's individual skill level, enabling each child to progress in-line with their abilities. Skills include forehand, backhand, volley, serve and more. *This class will meet outside on the tennis courts.*

**6-10 YEARS**

5157	TH	1/12-3/9	6:30-7:30pm	FPARK	\$99
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Instructor: Sportball Staff

**SPORTBALL VOLLEYBALL- SKILLS DEVELOPMENT**

For kids looking to develop and refine their skills in a fun, safe environment without the stress and high ratios of a competitive league. Certified Sportball coaches recognize and teach to a child's individual skill level, enabling each child to progress in-line with their abilities. Skills include serve, bump, set, spike and more! *All equipment is provided.*

**6-8 YEARS**

5158	F	1/13-3/10	4:30-5:30pm	FRC	\$99
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**8-12 YEARS**

5404	F	1/13-3/10	5:30-6:30pm	FRC	\$99
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Instructor: Sportball Staff

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## ARTS &amp; CRAFTS

## ART-DRAWING

A drawing is the starting point of every work of art. Learn how to compose a masterpiece through perspective, shading, texture, and more in this fluid class that will take you places! Supplies will be provided.

## 16+ YEARS

5036 T 1/10-3/7 6:30-7:45pm CC \$66

Instructor: Lisa Martineau

## ART-OIL PAINTING

Want to learn how to paint with oils? Now's your chance! Learn basic color theory and how to mix and apply paints. You'll end up with a masterpiece you'll be proud to hang on your wall. All levels welcome. Students will provide their own supplies. A supply list will be provided prior to the first day of class.

## 16+ YEARS

5037 T 1/10-3/7 5-6:15pm CC \$66

Instructor: Lisa Martineau

new!

## NATURE DRAWING SERIES: FLOWERS

Learn how to capture the beauty of desert plants on paper with Naturalist and published artist, Jennie Rambo. Classroom instruction will focus on observation and drawing techniques to achieve accuracy and grace. **Materials required: artist graphite pencils: HB, 2H, F, 2B, 4B, white plastic eraser, sharpener, and sketchbook of quality drawing paper 8"X 10" or 10"X 14."**

## 18+ YEARS

5497 SAT 2/25 10am-12pm SERL \$20

Instructor: Jennie Rambo

## PAINT PARTY

Come paint along with us! This class will be a social evening filled with fun and paint. Bring a friend and go home with your very own masterpiece. Supplies will be provided.

## 16+ YEARS

5466 W 2/22 6:30-7:45pm CC \$25

Instructor: Lisa Martineau

## PHOTO ORGANIZATION &amp; SCRAPBOOKING

The Scrapbooking Workshop is an open, fun workshop surrounded by other scrapbookers. You will have space and time to complete your albums. The workshop is open to all digital and traditional scrapbookers. Scrapbooking tips and ideas will be shared throughout the day. You can choose to take the all day workshop or a half day. Bring your own supplies to complete an album. Scrapbook supplies kits are available for purchase in the case you were to run out of supplies to complete your album.

## 18+ YEARS

5408 SAT 1/28 9:30am-1pm MPAC \$20

5409 SAT 1/28 9:30am-4:45pm MPAC \$25

5410 SAT 2/25 9:30am-1pm MPAC \$20

5411 SAT 2/25 9:30am-4:45pm MPAC \$25

Instructor: Debra Durma



## ZENTANGLE WITH DEBBIE HOLEXA

The Zentangle Method is an easy-to-learn, relaxing, and fun way to create beautiful images by drawing structured patterns. Almost anyone can use it to create beautiful images. It increases focus and creativity, provides artistic satisfaction along with an increased sense of personal well-being. The Zentangle Method is enjoyed all over the world across a wide range of skills, interests and ages. It is simple to understand and easy to enjoy, even if you are convinced you are not an artist.

new!

## ADVANCED ZENTANGLE- RENAISSANCE

Adding additional dimensions to the traditional tangle. Created on a sepia tile using brown, black and white inks and shading. **A \$20 Supply fee will be collected by the instructor at the beginning of class.**

## 15+ YEARS

5349 TH 2/2 6:30-9pm SERL \$40

Instructor: Debbie Hoxea

new!

## BEGINNING ZENTANGLE

The Zentangle Method is an easy-to-learn, relaxing, and fun way to create beautiful images by drawing structured patterns. Almost anyone can use it to create beautiful images. It increases focus and creativity, provides artistic satisfaction along with an increased sense of personal well-being. The Zentangle Method is enjoyed all over the world across a wide range of skills, interests and ages. It is simple to understand and easy to enjoy, even if you are convinced you are not an artist. **An \$8 Supply fee will be collected by the instructor at the beginning of class.**

## 15+ YEARS

5272 TH 1/19 6:30-8:30pm SERL \$30

Instructor: Debbie Hoxea

new!

## BLACK TILE ZENTANGLE

This is the same process as the Beginning Zentangle Method, but created on black tiles with white ink and shadowing. Explore the possibilities. **A \$10 Supply fee will be collected by the instructor at the beginning of class.**

## 15+ YEARS

5350 TH 1/26 6:30-8:30pm SERL \$30

Instructor: Debbie Hoxea

new!

## ZENDALA- ZENTANGLE IN THE ROUND

A larger scale Zentangle project done in the round. **A \$20 Supply fee will be collected by the instructor at the beginning of class.**

## 15+ YEARS

5351 TH 2/9 6:30-9pm SERL \$40

Instructor: Debbie Hoxea

## ZENTANGLE FOR KIDS

See ARTS & CRAFTS section under YOUTH for class description and info.



## ▶ COOKING

### ELLA'S DISCOVERIES COOKING CLASSES

At Ella's Discoveries each class has an exciting theme. We'll create savory and sweet recipes, enjoy food facts and try at home recipes too! This hands-on cooking series is hosted by food and consumer affairs writer, radio show journalist, certified kitchen manager, cookbook author and culinary instructor Pam Jackson. **A \$15 Supply fee will be collected by the instructor at the beginning of class.**

**16+ YEARS**

### IT'S DIP, IT'S DINNER, IT'S DESSERT- IT'S FONDUE!

The Swiss have long had a way with cheese and the French with cooking techniques...and fondue was born! It's definitely easy and is both a meal and a social event. Several fondues will be explored, prepared and enjoyed.

5416	SAT	1/14	9am-12pm	CC	\$40
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### SUPER BOWL BLOWOUT

The Super Bowl gridiron is about to heat up! Cheering for your favorite team takes bold and spicy food; after all it charges you up for the big game! A variety of super charged foods be fixed and served in class.

5417	SAT	1/28	9am-12pm	CC	\$40
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### HEART HEALTHY

Craft meals that appeal to your senses...rich in colorful vegetables and fruits, fiber, lean meat, fish and dairy products. It's true you can enjoy flavorful meals and still manage your cholesterol. Heart Healthy dishes will be explored, prepared and enjoyed.

5418	SAT	2/11	9am-12pm	CC	\$40
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### FRENCH CREPES

Crepes are the perfect make ahead; have on hand, aromatic butter-browned discs with a myriad of serving possibilities. Savory or sweet crepes star when it comes to versatility. We'll explore, prepare and enjoy a variety of crepe dishes.

5419	SAT	2/25	9am-12pm	CC	\$40
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### LEANING TOWER OF PISA(ZZA)

Just as the Leaning Tower of Pisa is a work of art performed in three stages, so is pizza! First we'll explore the crust, second the sauce and third the toppings, then we'll prepare and enjoy a wide variety of freshly baked pizza in class.

5420	SAT	3/11	9am-12pm	CC	\$40
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## ▶ DANCE

new!

### ADULT DANCE SAMPLER

Ballet is the foundation of many styles of dance and an effective, elegant way to improve posture, grace, flexibility and strength. Students will use and improve these skills and apply them to jazz, lyrical, and contemporary styles of dance. Class will include barre exercises, across the floor and center combinations in a fun friendly environment. No experience necessary.

**16+ YEARS**

5537	TH	1/11-3/8*	6:15-7:15pm	FRC	\$42
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Instructor: Liza Allen **\*No class 1/26**

### BELLY DANCE-BEGINNING

This fun beginning class will provide you with a low-impact and low-pressure workout that improves flexibility and coordination. Join us to explore the basics of belly dance, building on steps learned from class to class as we learn a choreographed dance. Belly dance is friendly to all body types and ages. *Please wear something comfortable that allows you to move freely. Ballet shoes are recommended but not required.*

**14+ YEARS**

5219	M	1/9-3/6*	7:30-8:30pm	MPAC	\$37
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Instructor: Elizabeth Makela **\*No class 1/16 & 2/20**

### BELLY DANCE-DRILLS

In this open level class, students can focus on learning foundational belly dance movements at their own pace. Once the basics of technique are mastered, variations including isolations, transitions, traveling and layering will be introduced. This class is a great complement to the choreography focused classes 'Beginning Belly Dance' and 'Belly Dance Fusion'. Belly dance is friendly to all body types and ages. *Please wear something comfortable that allows you to move freely. Ballet shoes are recommended but not required.*

**14+ YEARS**

5220	M	1/9-3/6*	6:30-7:30pm	MPAC	\$37
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5521	F	1/13-3/10	6:30-7:30pm	MPAC	\$47
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Instructor: Elizabeth Makela **\*No class 1/16 & 2/20**

**BELLY DANCE-INTERMEDIATE FUSION**

This intermediate level class fuses traditional belly dance movements with elements from other dance styles, cultures, or musical genres. Each session will draw inspiration from somewhere new. Students will learn a fun choreographed dance and have the opportunity to perform it for friends and family if they wish. Belly dance is friendly to all body types and ages. *Please wear something comfortable that allows you to move freely. Ballet shoes are recommended but not required.*

**14+ YEARS**

5221 F 1/13-3/10 7:30-8:30pm MPAC \$47  
Instructor: Elizabeth Makela

**HEALTH & FITNESS****BEGINNING YOGA**

This class is for those interested in learning more about yoga. We will work on traditional yoga poses both standing and sitting, breathing techniques and simple meditation practices. This class is perfect for beginners.

**16+ YEARS**

5223 M 1/9-3/6 6-6:55pm MPAC \$39  
Instructor: Jeanette Runnings **\*No class 1/16 & 2/20**

**HIIT COMBATIVE**

(H.I.I.T) High Intensity Interval Training combined with the explosive self-defense system of Krav Maga. This is a fast paced class that combines functional fitness with self-defense training. Regardless of your fitness level, this class will push you to your max. The High Intensity Interval style of training in conjunction with the practical self-defense methods of Krav Maga are perfectly suited to meet the fitness needs of all walks of life and fitness levels. Krav Maga's rapid responses, awareness training and tactical techniques work for people of ALL types and sizes. Krav Maga uses realistic training scenarios while practicing aggressive self-defense responses in a safe environment. Students learn to deal with almost any violent or threatening situation through the use of hand-to-hand combatives, improvised weapons, and simply knowing when to escape danger by running away.

**18+ YEARS**

5095 T/TH 1/10-3/9 5:45-6:45pm FRC \$50  
Instructor: HIIT Gravity Fitness Staff



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**INDOOR FITNESS FOR LADIES**

True Body Fitness offers a fun and friendly way to torch calories. Classes are taught by a Certified Personal Trainer, Maggie Colecchia, who can modify or progress workouts so ALL FITNESS LEVELS ARE WELCOME. **Flexible options allow you to decide how many classes to take each month: 4, 6, 8, 10 or unlimited.** Bring your yoga mat and water. See course code 5002 for the full schedule of classes.

4 Class Package-\$30 10 Class Package-\$60  
6 Class Package-\$40 Unlimited Class Package-\$70  
8 Class Package-\$50

**CARDIO EXPRESS**

Achieve a healthy weight and maintain it; increase endurance; reduce health risks and strengthen your heart; keep your mind clear and release endorphins to help cope with stress...Need any more reasons to do cardio training? If you are short on time, Cardio Express does it all in a half-hour. Kickboxing, step, sports drills, you just never know what we'll be doing from one class to another. Take this class by itself or pair it with our 45-min Total Body Toning class and you have just given yourself a total body work-out that is not only challenging but fun.

**16+ YEARS**

5002 T 9-9:30am SERL  
5002 SAT 8:45-9:15am SERL

**new!****TOTAL BODY TONING**

Lean muscle mass naturally diminishes with age. This strength training program focuses on all major muscle groups to help develop strong bones, manage your weight, improve your ability to do everyday activities, achieve better balance, manage chronic conditions and sharpen your thinking skills.

**16+ YEARS**

5002 M 6-6:45pm SERL  
5002 T 9:30-10:15am SERL  
5002 TH 6:30-7:15pm SERL  
5002 SAT 9:15-10am SERL

**new!****SWORD STRENGTH**

Bring out your inner warrior! Holding a wooden sword (bokken) for resistance, students are taught to use their powerhouse (core) to challenge their bodies for an hour of cardio set to fun music. We provide the sword. (Sign up quickly, only 8 spots available per class.)

**16+ YEARS**

5002 TH 6-6:30pm SERL

**new!****ZUMBA®**

Every class is a party featuring exotic rhythms set to high-energy Latin and international beats. Before participants know it, they're getting fit and their energy levels are soaring! This 30-minute, small group setting is ideal for beginners or long-time Zumba® fans looking to perfect their technique.

**16+ YEARS**

5002 M 6:45-7:15pm SERL

**ZUMBA**

Check out this high energy, Latin-inspired cardio dance class that uses choreographed easy-to-follow dance steps sure to move you! Zumba uses a combination of fast and slow rhythm intervals that will help tone and sculpt your body. Zumba is for everyone; all levels welcome!

**16+ YEARS**

5526 T 1/10-3/7 6-7pm MPAC \$49  
Instructor: TBA

**MARTIAL ARTS****HUNG GAR KUNG FU**

A southern style of Kung Fu that originated in the Shaolin Temple. Hung Gar will teach the practitioner stamina, flexibility and endurance by doing isometric exercises and postures. Self defense and patience are part of this Martial arts class.

**13+ YEARS**

5098 W 1/11-3/8 6:30-8:30pm FRC \$90  
Instructor: Peter Pena

**SANCHIN-RYU KARATE**

Sanchin-Ryu is an artistic form of self-defense designed in a way, so that size and strength, age and athletic ability aren't factors in defending one's self. Taught on an individual basis, students study in a non-competitive environment while working on Sanchin-Ryu's practical movements and non-nonsense approach to self-defense. To truly understand every facet of conflict resolution we study three levels of self-defense awareness; physical, mental and emotional. Emphasis is on having fun, building self-confidence, coordination, and leadership skills through the study of a true martial art. Classes are taught in a fun, high-energy environment. Instructors: Black Belts; Steven Ahles, 7th Dan, Doug Sawyer, 3rd Dan, and Brent Sawyer 3rd Dan.

**SANCHIN-RYU KARATE-ADULT**

Students will learn alternatives to fighting and be empowered with techniques to handle everyday scenarios they may encounter at work, school, the park and even among friends. In a fun, high-energy, go-at-your-own pace environment students build self-confidence, develop focus, discipline and physical fitness. Students are taught the full form of Sanchin-Ryu, an artistic form of self-defense designed in a way, so that size, strength, age or athletic ability are not factors in defending one's self.

**15+ YEARS**

5097 SAT 1/14-3/11 8-9:30am FRC \$68  
Instructor: Sanchin-Ryu Karate Staff

**SANCHIN-RYU KARATE WOMEN'S SELF DEFENSE**

Learn street-wise techniques designed in a way, so that size, strength, age or athletic ability are not factors in defending one's self. Learn to act on stressful situations rather than being controlled by them. Sign up for this class by yourself or with a family member or friend! Please wear comfortable clothing that does not restrict movement and covers the shoulders.

**15+ YEARS**

5096 TH 1/12-3/9 10-11am SERL \$45  
5423 SAT 1/28 12-2:30pm FRC \$24  
Instructor: Sanchin-Ryu Karate Staff

**SANCHIN-RYU KARATE-ADVANCED**

See *MARTIAL ARTS* section under *YOUTH* for class description and info.

**SANCHIN-RYU KARATE-FAMILY**

See *MARTIAL ARTS* section under *YOUTH* for class description and info.

**SPECIAL INTEREST****ASHI, AED, CPR & FIRST AID TRAINING- ADULT, CHILD & INFANT**

Used properly, First Aid and CPR can SAVE LIVES! Learn proper techniques to be effective in an emergency. Recognize the signs/symptoms of injuries and sudden illness. Receive crucial information on emergencies such as bleeding, shock and burns. Recognize and treat life threatening emergencies such as cardiac arrest and choking. *Upon completion of this course, participants will receive a two year certification card.*

**16+ YEARS**

5424 W 1/11 5:30-9pm SERL \$40  
5425 W 2/8 5:30-9pm SERL \$40  
5426 W 3/8 5:30-9pm SERL \$40  
Instructor: Cross' Lifeline Emergency Staff

**new!****ASSAULT PREVENTION WITH CRIMINAL PROFILING**

A violent assault occurs in Arizona every 34 minutes. Be empowered and live with confidence in this exciting new workshop uncovering factors precipitating an attack, victim selection, weapons used, and identify warning signs. Try out new self-defense devices available, and develop a personal safety plan. **A \$2 Supply fee will be collected by the instructor at the beginning of class.**

**18+ YEARS**

5427 TH 1/12 12:30-2:30pm SERL \$33  
5428 SAT 2/18 12:30-2:30pm MPAC \$33  
Instructor: Dillion Lee

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**BURGLARY PREVENTION WITH CRIMINAL PROFILING**

A burglary takes place in Arizona every 14 minutes. You'll learn in this exciting new workshop which homes burglars look for, identify the warning signs that your home could be next, and easy DIY ways to make your home safe and uninviting to would-be burglars.

**18+ YEARS**

5429	TH	1/12	10am-12pm	SERL	\$33
5430	SAT	2/18	10am-12pm	MPAC	\$33

Instructor: Dillion Lee

new!

**COMMON SENSE PARENTING®**

Common Sense Parenting® teaches parents practical and effective ways to increase their child(ren)'s positive behaviors. This class is for parents and caregivers of children birth to age 5. The series will be presented in 6, two hour sessions. This program is provided FREE by New Directions Institute in collaboration with Family SPOT Resource Centers and is funded by First Things First. Free materials and gifts for participating are included. **\*Free childcare is provided by New Directions staff.**

**18+ YEARS**

5247	T	1/17-2/28*	6-8pm	SERL	FREE
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Instructor: New Directions Institute Staff **\*No class 2/14**

**CREATIVE WRITING AND PUBLISHING CLASSES**

Explore Fiction, Nonfiction, Children's, YA, Family History and Memoirs. Based on your interests Ms. Janson provides personalized materials and writing instruction. Beginners and advanced writers are invited to attend.

**FICTION AND NONFICTION WRITING WORKSHOP**

Short stories, novels, YA, children's, family history and memoirs. **A \$10 copy fee will be collected by the instructor on the first day of class.**

**13+ YEARS**

5435	SAT	2/4-2/25	10am-12pm	SERL	\$60
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**INSPIRATIONAL FICTION WRITING WORKSHOP**

new!

Write faith-based and positive short stories, novels, and YA for this enormously popular market. Ms. Janson will provide excerpts from books written by Karen Kingsbury, Ted Dekker, and Jerry B. Jenkins. Beginners and advanced writers are welcome to attend. **A \$10 copy fee will be collected by the instructor on the first day of class.**

**13+ YEARS**

5439	SAT	2/4-2/25	12:30-2:30pm	SERL	\$60
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new!

**CELEBRATE YOUR PHOTOS**

Do you have a lot of digital pictures? Would you like to get them off your camera cards, computers, phones, and turn them into a treasured gift? Do you have digital pictures and have wanted to make a photo book or calendar? In one simple class, you will learn how to turn your stored digital pictures into a beautiful, published book or calendar. Bring a laptop (Mac or PC) and digital photos to class to start and maybe finish your project in one class!

**18+ YEARS**

5442	TH	1/12	10-11:30am	MPAC	\$15
5443	TH	1/12	6-7:30pm	MPAC	\$15
5444	F	2/3	10-11:30am	MPAC	\$15
5445	F	2/3	6-7:30pm	MPAC	\$15
5446	W	2/22	10-11:30am	MPAC	\$15
5447	W	2/22	6-7:30pm	MPAC	\$15

Instructor: Debra Durma

**DIGITAL PHOTO STRESS TO DIGITAL PHOTO PEACE**

Are your digital pictures overwhelming you? Do you have digital pictures on the computer, camera cards, iPhones, iPads, etc.? Would you like to find a certain digital picture, but have no idea where it would be? Have you thought about buying a new computer because your old one was full...probably because of too many photos?! Are you afraid if you lose your phone or your computer crashes that all your digital photos would be gone? If you answered yes to any of these questions, then this class is for you. This class will help you take your digital photo mess and turn it into a beautifully, organized collection of memories that your family will enjoy for generations. Class 1: Set-up your Photo Goals, learn the basics of ABC digital photo organization, and learn about a cloud based back-up system for your digital photos. Class 2: We review more photo organization techniques, learn photo editing tricks and understand the basics for safely sharing digital photos.

**18+ YEARS**

5455	T	1/31-2/7	10-11:15am	MPAC	\$30
5457	T	1/31-2/7	6-7:15pm	MPAC	\$30
5458	TH	3/2-3/9	10-11:15am	MPAC	\$30
5459	TH	3/2-3/9	6-7:15pm	MPAC	\$30

Instructor: Debra Durma

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## SPORTS

### CARDIO TENNIS

Cardio Tennis is a great way for players of all skill sets to enjoy the game. You'll get an AMAZING workout, a chance to socialize and enhance your tennis skills in just one hour! Set to upbeat music, cardio tennis will keep your heart rate up and your feet moving for a fun workout. *Taught by USPTA certified tennis instructor. Players need to provide own racquet.*

#### 16+ YEARS

5226 T 1/10-3/7 9:30-10:30am MPAC \$50  
Instructor: Karen Fleissner



### GOLF READY FOR ADULTS

This class is great for both the true beginner and the intermediate level golfer who wants to improve or tune-up their skills. *Golf clubs are available for use if you do not have your own. Closed toed shoes are required. Western Skies Golf Club (WS) is located at 1245 E. Warner Rd., Gilbert, AZ 85296.*

Week 1 Pre-shot fundamentals and basic swing  
Week 2 Chipping and pitching  
Week 3 Full iron swing from the fairway  
Week 4 Putting including aim, stroke and reading the green  
Week 5 Driver swing

#### 15+ YEARS

5234	TH	1/12-2/9	6-7pm	WS	\$145
5460	TH	2/16-3/16	6-7pm	WS	\$145
5461	SAT	1/14-2/11	9-10am	WS	\$145
5462	SAT	2/18-3/18	9-10am	WS	\$145

Instructor: Mike Arrigoni, PGA

### GOLF READY FOR LADIES ONLY

This class is great for both beginner and intermediate levels. Eat, drink and socialize before and after the golf class if you prefer. This class is designed for women to learn swing fundamentals, golf course preparation and share their experiences in a fun and relaxed atmosphere. *Golf clubs are available for use if you do not have your own. Closed toed shoes are required. Western Skies Golf Club (WS) is located at 1245 E. Warner Rd., Gilbert, AZ 85296.*

Week 1 Pre-shot fundamentals and basic swing  
Week 2 Chipping and pitching  
Week 3 Full iron swing from the fairway  
Week 4 Putting including aim, stroke and reading the green  
Week 5 Driver swing

#### 14+ YEARS

5235	W	1/11-2/8	6-7pm	WS	\$145
5464	W	2/15-3/15	6-7pm	WS	\$145

Instructor: Mike Arrigoni, PGA

### TENNIS 1.0

Class is designed to introduce players to the basic skills of tennis; stance, grip, serve, strokes and scoring. Emphasis on hand-eye coordination, drills, good sportsmanship and having fun! *Taught by USPTA certified tennis instructor. Players need to provide own racquet.*

#### 16+ YEARS

5227 W 1/11-3/8 9:30-10:30am MPAC \$50  
Instructor: Karen Fleissner

### TENNIS 2.5-3.0

Take the next step in tennis to continue developing stance, grip, stroke and serve while incorporating the fundamentals of match play. Ideal for players who have previous tennis playing experience and can sustain a short rally of slow to medium pace. Emphasis on recreational play, good sportsmanship and having fun! Class designed for beginner/intermediate player. *Taught by USPTA certified tennis instructor. Players need to provide own racquet.*

#### 16+ YEARS

5228 TH 1/12-3/9 9-10am MPAC \$50  
Instructor: Karen Fleissner

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Pat Hutfles, Home Delivered Meals Coordinator: 480-503-6058  
Wallis Berry, Kitchen Coordinator: 480-503-6057

Chandler Christian Community Center operates and manages the Senior Center programs and meals.



## SPECIAL INTEREST

### CHAIR EXERCISE

Join us for a non-impact exercise class. Chair Exercises are workouts done while seated in a chair, or sometimes standing next to or behind the chair for stability. **50+ YEARS**

T/TH	8:30-9am	CC	FREE
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### GENTLE YOGA

This class focuses on restorative and gentle stretching of yoga to increase flexibility and strength. This class is excellent for those with limited mobility or beginners. **50+ YEARS**

W	9-10am	CC	FREE
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**new!**

### LINE DANCING

Learn to line dance! Alleviate stress and exercise to great music with wonderful people. New participants are always welcome! **50+ YEARS**

W	11:15am-12:15pm	CC	\$3
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### SILVER SNEAKERS

The Silver Sneakers Fitness Program is an innovative health, exercise and wellness program helping our seniors to live healthy and active lifestyles. Come join us for a fun way to exercise! *Space is limited, first come first serve.* **50+ YEARS**

T	1-2pm	CC	FREE
TH-Geri Fit	1-2pm	CC	FREE

### TAI CHI

Tai Chi/Medical Chi Chong will help to relieve arthritis, stress, and enhance your immune system. This class is on-going. No registration required. **50+ YEARS**

M	9-9:45am	CC	FREE
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### ZUMBA

Zumba combines a dance workout with a party-like atmosphere. Zumba takes the popular Latin-dance inspired workout to make it accessible for seniors. Zumba Gold builds cardiovascular health by challenging the heart and working the muscles of the hips, legs, and arms with dance moves. **50+ YEARS**

F	8:45-9:45am	CC	FREE
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## SOCIAL EVENTS

### JANUARY

#### RHYTHM CATS

Join us for buffet and rock n' roll show. Sign up from *December 21st-January 13th.* **50+YEARS**

M	1/31	5pm	CC	\$40
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### FEBRUARY

#### VALENTINES PARTY

Celebrate the day of love with your friends at the Gilbert Senior Center! **50+YEARS**

T	2/14	10:30-11am	CC	FREE
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### MARCH

#### ST. PATTY'S DAY PARTY

Wear green and don't get pinched! **50+YEARS**

F	3/17	10:30-11am	CC	FREE
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### BARLEENS AZ OPRY

Join us for dinner and variety show. Sign up from *February 27th-March 10th.* **50+YEARS**

Tuesday	3/21	5pm	CC	\$40
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**Freestone Recreation Center is a designated Silver Sneakers center! Call (480) 503-6202 to get more information on this exciting program!**





## DINING OUT

### Dining Out

Come join us for good food, good company, and maybe even some laughs! LEAVING the Senior Center at 4pm. All participants attending must sign up in the Senior Center Office, 480-503-6059.

#### Spinato's Pizzeria

Wednesday, February 8th  
Sign up Jan. 23rd-Feb. 7th

#### The Harp Pub

Wednesday, March 8th  
Sign up from Feb. 20th-March 7th

#### Chen's Chinese

Wednesday, April 5th  
Sign up from March 20th-April 4th



## HOME DELIVERED MEALS

Meals are delivered to those seniors who are disabled, home-bound, and live in Gilbert and Chandler.

Cost of meals are \$5.00 each.  
Delivered Monday-Friday between 10am-2pm.

For information on financial assistance please call the Senior Helpline.

SENIOR HELPLINE  
602.264.4357

For more information on enrolling today, please call the number listed below.

HOME DELIVERED MEALS  
480.503.6058



## Ongoing Activities For Active Adults At The Gilbert Senior Center

**Age Requirement: Adults 50+ have first priority; however, adults under 50 may participate in certain activities if space is available. Please call the Senior Center if you have any questions: 480-503-6059.**

### ARTS & CRAFTS

**Scrapbooking & Craft Club:** Free craft classes all supplies provided. Every Friday from 12:15-3pm.

#### Knitting/Crocheting Club:

Join us for knitting & crocheting projects every Wednesday at 12:30pm

**Jewelry Club:** Come and create one of a kind designs with us on Wed., at 12:30pm.

### CARDS & GAMES

**Bingo:** Cost is 50cents/card, limit three cards. Every Mon. & Fri. 10:15-11:30am

**Bridge Club:** Every Mon. at 10am & Thurs. at 12:15pm

**Bunco:** Wednesday at 12:30pm

**Rummikub Club:** Every Tues. & Thurs. at 12:30pm.

**Mexican Train:** Every Tuesday at 12:30pm

**Pinochle:** Tuesdays 9:30am-12pm

**Mahjong:** Tues. 1:15pm

### COMPUTERS

**Computer Lounge:** The Community Center has a computer lounge with three public computers. Computers are available daily during facility hours.

### HEALTH & WELLNESS

**Blood Pressure Checks:** Join us on the 1st & 3rd Tues. of every month from 10am-12pm.

**Chair Exercises:** This class provides upper and lower body low impact movements. All levels are welcome. Every Tuesday from 8:30-9am.

**Fitness Center:** The Center has a paid for usage fitness center available. Cost of monthly membership is \$15 or pay a \$2 daily fee.

### OUTREACH SERVICES

The following services are available by appointment only. Benefit help, Lawyer services, SNAP, please call to schedule your appointment today! 480-503-6061

### SOCIAL FUN

**Entertainment & Dancing:** Join us every Tuesday & Thursday from 11am-12pm.

**Movies:** Held the 2nd Fri. of the month for a movie & popcorn! Movie start time is 1pm.

For information on becoming a member of the Gilbert Senior Center please visit the center for a tour. For details call 480-503-6059 or visit our [website](#).

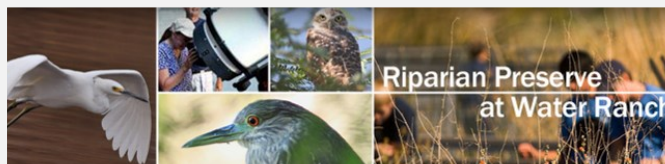
## Senior Boutique

Open: M/T/TH/F

10am-1pm

Donations accepted daily.

## RIPARIAN PRESERVE at WATER RANCH LAKE



2757 E. Guadalupe Road

Gilbert, AZ 85234

Contact: [Jen Lauria](mailto:Jen.Lauria@gilbertaz.gov), 480-503-6234

<http://www.gilbertaz.gov/riparian>

### BIRD WALKS

Monthly bird walk at the **Riparian**. Walk is geared for adults. The walk will last about 90 min.-2 hours with wrap up time at the end to go over the list of species seen and heard. **March Big Sit** monthly bird program at the **Water Ranch**, with a twist. Instead of strolling around the Ranch, bring a chair and we'll plunk ourselves down in a likely spot for the birds to come to us. This allows us to study the birds more closely and observe behavior and markings we might otherwise miss. *Free, although any donations are accepted. \$5 suggested. Limited to 12 participants. Please register with Kathe Anderson at [kathe.coot@cox.net](mailto:kathe.coot@cox.net).*

SAT	1/28	8am	Riparian
SUN	2/26	7:30am	Riparian
SAT	3/11	7:00am	Riparian-The Big Sit

### FAMILY BIRD WALKS

The Gilbert Family Birdwalks are held every third Saturday of the month, October through March at the Gilbert Riparian Preserve. These free walks are sponsored by Desert Rivers Audubon, The Riparian Preserve, and Liberty Wildlife. We provide loaner binoculars, Bird Bingo Cards for kids, and expert leaders to take you around the ponds at both locations. Walks leave every 15 minutes or so and last about 45 minutes.

SAT	12/17, 1/21, 2/18, 3/18	8am-12pm	Riparian
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**new!**

### GARDENING FOR HUMMINGBIRDS

Bring the "jewels of flight," to your backyard! Riparian Preserve Naturalist, Jennie Rambo will teach you to grow native Sonoran desert nectar plants, and how to design a hummingbird garden for all seasons, during classroom presentations and a garden tour at the Riparian Preserve.

#### 18+ YEARS

5492	SAT	3/11	10-11:30am	SERL	\$10
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Instructor: Jennie Rambo

**new!**

### GARDENING FOR TORTOISES

Explore the fascinating world of desert tortoises with Naturalist, Jennie Rambo, who holds 20 years of experience caring for these endearing reptiles. Presentations on tortoise nutrition, wildflower seed, and a garden tour at the Riparian Preserve will help you create the garden of your tortoise's dreams!

#### 18+ YEARS

5493	SAT	3/4	2-3:30pm	SERL	\$10
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Instructor: Jennie Rambo

As one of the largest and most popular wildlife preserves in Gilbert, Arizona, The Riparian at Water Ranch features hiking and equestrian trails open to the community. The preserve provides a great opportunity for wildlife and bird watching considered the premier bird watching facility in the Phoenix metro region. Close to 250 species of birds have been sighted and many people come from different states and countries to see the beautiful and sometimes rare birds. The park boasts covered picnic areas, fishing,, a dinosaur dig site and campsites that can be reserved for a desert getaway.

The Riparian Preserve was also designed to promote awareness and appreciation of Arizona's ecology and natural history, particularly desert and riparian environments, through education and recreation programs for a diversity of visitors, as well as research and development of strategies to preserve and protect these unique environments. In addition, the preserve also has the only Valley astronomy observatory open to the public.

### Visit the Gilbert Rotary Centennial Observatory Operated by the East Valley Astronomy Club

Open to the public every  
Friday and Saturday evening  
from dusk until 9:30,  
weather permitting

**Kids Welcome!**  
\$3 donation requested

Join us the 2nd Friday of each  
month for:

**'EVAC Star Party' night:** amateur  
astronomers will share their  
telescopes and answer questions.

**Skywatch Lecture Series:** held in  
the Southeast Regional Library  
7:30-8:30 pm. (12+years)

Located on the Riparian Preserve, next to the Southeast  
Regional Library, Greenfield and Guadalupe in Gilbert

### Join Our Parks & Recreation Mailing List!



Click [HERE](#) to subscribe to receive the latest newsletters, updates and information about our programs and events sent straight to your inbox.

# RIPARIAN PRESERVE at WATER RANCH LAKE



**new!**

## HOW TO GROW WILDFLOWERS

Spring is on the way! Learn the secrets to growing many beautiful desert wildflowers with Riparian Preserve Naturalist, Jennie Rambo. This class will help you create a colorful native plant garden for butterflies and birds with low-water use plants. Seeds included.

**18+ YEARS**

5490 SAT 1/28 10-11:30am SERL \$10

Instructor: Jennie Rambo

## JUNIOR RANGER CAMP

Junior Rangers help to preserve and protect our parks, playgrounds and trails. They learn about nature and history have fun exploring the parks with the Town of Gilbert Park Rangers. This is a one week program and participant will receive a Junior Ranger badge upon completion! Locations will vary with the first class taking place at Freestone Park.

**6-11 YEARS**

90622 T-F 12/27-12/30 8:30am-10am FPARK \$55

**new!**

## NATURE DRAWING SERIES: FLOWERS

Learn how to capture the beauty of desert plants on paper with Naturalist and published artist, Jennie Rambo. Classroom instruction will focus on observation and drawing techniques to achieve accuracy and grace. **Materials required: artist graphite pencils: HB, 2H, F, 2B, 4B, white plastic eraser, sharpener, and sketchbook of quality drawing paper 8"X 10" or 10"X 14."**

**18+ YEARS**

5497 SAT 2/25 10am-12:00pm SERL \$20

Instructor: Jennie Rambo

**new!**

## SCIENCE IN THE PARK-GAMES & ART

Let your preschooler explore and learn about the outdoors in this new outdoor education program. This session will focus on games and art activities combined with nature hikes. There will be daily themes such as finding patterns in nature, finding colors in nature, design a picture using objects in nature.

**3-6 YEARS**

5307 M 1/9-3/13 10am-11am Riparian \$60

Instructor: Riparian Staff

**new!**

## SCIENCE IN THE PARK-USING OUR SENSES

Let your preschooler explore and learn about the outdoors in this new outdoor education program. This session will focus on using our eyes, ears, nose, and touch to observe nature and to participate in various fun activities.

**3-6 YEARS**

5343 W 1/11-3/8 10am-11am Riparian \$60

Instructor: Riparian Staff

## WINTER BREAK CAMP AT THE PRESERVE

Get closer to nature at the Riparian Preserve's school break camp. Spend time outdoors and indoors learning about the wildlife and plants of desert and riparian areas through hikes, scientific digs, experiments, learning games, and craft activities. Topics are adjusted seasonally and include the Sonoran Desert, pond life, birds, bugs, archaeology, paleontology (dinosaurs), fishing, astronomy, plants, water, reptiles, and more.

90615 T-F 12/27-12/30 8:30am-12pm Riparian \$60



## NON RIPARIAN PROGRAMS

### BEGINNER FLY CASTING CLINIC

Desert Fly Casters is hosting a free fly casting clinic at Gilbert's McQueen Park. International Fly Fishing Federation (IFFF) Certified Fly Casting Instructors will be on hand to work with casters of all skill levels. Event highlights include beginning casting instruction and intermediate casting instruction. Event is free to Gilbert residents. Equipment is provided. Please bring sunglasses, hat, sunscreen and fly rod/reel/line/leader if you have your own. Must RSVP to Doug Bobb at [dougbobb56@gmail.com](mailto:dougbobb56@gmail.com) and include "Beginner Fly Casting" in the subject.

SAT 4/1 9am-12pm MPARK Joshua Tree Ramada

### FLY FISH 101: INTRO TO FLY FISHING

Desert Fly Casters (DFC) ([www.DesertFlyCasters.com](http://www.DesertFlyCasters.com)) is offering a free introduction to fly fishing class at Gilbert's McQueen Park. Come learn the basics aspects of fly fishing in a fun and relaxed environment! Event highlights include introduction to fly fishing equipment, how to tie basic angling knots, how to set up your fly rod, how to make a fly cast. Equipment is provided if needed. Please bring sunglasses, hat, sunscreen and fly rod/reel/line/leader if you have your own. Must RSVP to Doug Bobb at [dougbobb56@gmail.com](mailto:dougbobb56@gmail.com) and include "Intro to Fly Fishing" in the subject.

SAT 3/11 9am-12pm MPARK Joshua Tree Ramada

### RIO SALADO CASTING CLUB

Looking to improve your fly casting skills? Desert Fly Casters ([www.DesertFlyCasters.com](http://www.DesertFlyCasters.com)) is partnering with the Rio Salado Casting Club (RSCC) to host an ongoing series of free fly casting events at Gilbert's McQueen Park. International Fly Fishing Federation (IFFF) Certified Fly Casting Instructors will be on hand to work with casters of all skill levels-beginners, intermediate and advanced casters are all welcome to attend this informal casting meetup. Accurate fly casting will greatly improve your angling ability, so don't miss this opportunity to work with the some of the best fly casting instructors in the valley. Event highlights include beginning casting instruction, Intermediate casting instruction, tournament casting instruction and two-handed Spey casting instruction. Bring your rod/reel/line/leader, hat, sunglasses, and water. Must RSVP to Larry Allen at [flatsman@cox.net](mailto:flatsman@cox.net) and include "RSCC Fly Casting" in the subject.

SAT 2/4 9am-12pm MPARK Joshua Tree Ramada



## LIBRARY SERVICES



Maricopa County Library District  
where curiosity leads

### Perry Branch

1965 E. Queen Creek Rd.  
602-652-3000



### CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

#### ALL AGES STORYTIME

Miss Jennifer would like to welcome kids ages 2-5 and their caregivers to all ages story time! During this time we engage kids with interactive stories, lots of songs, dancing and fingerplays appropriate for this wide age range. *Tickets will be distributed starting at 10 a.m. on a first come first served basis. One ticket per person, not per party and you must be physically present to receive one. Seating is limited to 70 people to ensure the quality of storytime. Once story time begins no late comers will be admitted so please arrive early to ensure your spot, the library opens at 10:00 am.*

#### 2-5 YEARS

W	1/11-1/25	10:15am	Perry	Free
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#### BABY TIME

In baby time we have fun sharing books, lap-sit songs and rhymes, puppets, music, shakers, and bubbles. Learn tips to build a foundation for reading at home. Playtime and social time follows program. *This program is for babies ages birth to 20 (up to 24) months ONLY accompanied by a caregiver. Children over 24 months (including older siblings) may not be in the room during this program due to safety issues.*

#### BIRTH-24 MONTHS

T	1/10-1/31	10:15am	Perry	Free
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#### BOOK CLUB- MAGIC TREE HOUSE

Come to Perry Branch Library once a month for our Magic Tree House book club for children in 1st – 3rd grade. Each week will talk about the adventures of Jack and Annie followed by craft or activity. Check our calendar of events at [www.mclidaz.org](http://www.mclidaz.org) for titles for each month. *Reserve your book early so you have time to read it BEFORE we meet on the last Wednesday of every month (adjustments may be made around holiday dates). We will hold a select number of copies at the customer service desk (first come, first serve).*

#### 5-8 YEARS

W	1/25	4-4:45pm	Perry	Free
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#### FAMILY STORYTIME

This weekly storytime is designed for children ages 2 to 6, but all family members of all ages are welcomed to attend. During this time we will read stories, sing, and learn rhymes and fingerplays appropriate for this wide age range!

#### 2-6 YEARS

T	1/10-1/31	6-6:30pm	Perry	Free
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#### MY FAVORITE ADULT AND ME! FINGERPRINT DRAWINGS

Come to Perry for a simple art making project ideal for preschoolers 4-5 but open to kids 2-6 and their favorite adult. During this time we will be making fingerprint drawings using watercolors or ink and our fingers!

#### 2-6 YEARS

F	1/13	10:30-11am	Perry	Free
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#### PARACHUTE GAMES

Come to Perry with your 4-6 year old to play some parachute games. During this time your child will learn through cooperative play while being active and working on those gross motor skills! *Just like our storytimes attendance will be on a first come first served basis up to 20 kids and their caregivers. Tickets will be distributed in the kid's area 15 minutes before the start of the program. Must be between the ages 4-6 for safety reasons.*

#### 4-6 YEARS

TH	1/19	4-4:30pm	Perry	Free
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### ADULT BOOK DISCUSSIONS

#### PERRY ADULT BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP

Join us each month on the 4th Monday at 10:30am to read and discuss a work of literary fiction. Check Perry Library's events calendar each month for the current book at [www.mclidaz.org](http://www.mclidaz.org).

#### 18+ YEARS

M	1/9, 2/13	10:30-11:30am	Perry	Free
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### ADULT PROGRAMS

#### AARP TAX SERVICE

Representatives from AARP will provide FREE Tax Assistance to our customers on Mondays from 3-6pm and Saturdays from 9am-1pm. The program will run from Feb. 4-April 15, 2017. Customers can come on a first come, first serve basis. *Be sure to bring in all necessary paperwork to complete your tax returns.*

#### 18+ YEARS

SAT	2/4-3/11	9am-1pm	Perry	Free
M	2/6-3/6	3-6pm	Perry	Free

#### PERRY CLASSIC FILM FORUM

Come join us to view a classic movie while enjoying popcorn and water followed by a brief discussion.

#### 18+ YEARS

W	1/18, 2/15	1pm	Perry	Free
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## SOCRATES CAFÉ

Socrates Café are gatherings around the world where people from different backgrounds get together and exchange thoughtful ideas and experiences while embracing the central theme of Socratizing; the idea that we learn more when we question and question with others. Check our calendar of events at [www.mclldaz.org](http://www.mclldaz.org) for moderators and topics.

### 18+ YEARS

W	1/25, 2/22	1-2:30pm	Perry	Free
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## TEEN TECH EXPERTS

Let our Teen Tech Experts help answer your tech questions. They can help with library downloadable materials such as ebooks and magazines, email accounts, smart phones & tablets, social network accounts and MS Office applications. Appointments accepted, walk-ins welcome. Call 602-652-3000 (ask for the Perry Branch) to make an appointment at Perry Library or just drop in. \* Teen Techs are available when Perry High School is in session.

T	1/10-3/7	3-4:30pm	Perry	Free
TH	1/12-3/9	3-4:30pm	Perry	Free



## FAMILY PROGRAMS

### FAMILY STORYTIME

This weekly storytime is designed for children ages 2 to 6, but all family members of all ages are welcomed to attend. During this time we will read stories, sing, and learn rhymes and fingerplays appropriate for this wide age range!

### 2-6 YEARS

T	1/10-1/31	6-6:30pm	Perry	Free
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## VOLUNTEER with the Town of Gilbert

### Parks and Recreation

**Volunteers are needed in the following areas:**

- Special Events
- Recreation Centers
- Parks and Trails Maintenance
- Adaptive Recreation Programs
- Riparian Preserve
- Court-Ordered Community Service
- Scout Programs





To sign up for a volunteer opportunity go to:

<http://gilbertaz.gov/volunteer-parks>

## Southeast Regional Branch

775 N. Greenfield Rd.

602-652-3000

M-TH: 10am-9pm

FRI-SAT: 10am-5pm

SUN: 1-5pm



## CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

### KIDS CODE CLUB

Kids & teens! Join us for Code Club in the Staff Conference Room each Wednesday of every month. Ages 8-17. Have you ever wanted to learn how to code? Come to the Library and learn the basics of coding using fun and educational games. No computer or coding experience needed. Absolute beginners are most welcome! Space is limited. Registration required at [www.mclldaz.org](http://www.mclldaz.org).

### AGES 8-17

W	1/4, 1/11, 1/18, 1/25	3:30-5pm	SERL	Free
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### PRESCHOOL STORYART LAB

Come join us for a story and a fun art project! Your child will create a different craft based on an element in the story each session while using and developing fine motor skills. For preschoolers and their caregivers. Registration is required at [www.mclldaz.org](http://www.mclldaz.org).

### AGES 3-5

M	1/9, 2/13	10:15-10:45am	SERL	Free
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### SELF-GUIDED SCIENCE

Explore scientific principles and get some hands-on knowledge with our self-guided science modules. Each science module includes a number of different activities and experiments to help children learn and discover, and we'll have a new module available every three weeks. This program is self-guided and self-paced; the lab is open from noon to 2 pm. No registration is required, but availability of materials is on a first-come/first-served basis. Sharing and cooperation may be necessary. This program includes activities for children ages 3-12. Please note: This is a self-guided series, intended to help parents teach their children about science. While the science kits include materials to explain concepts and help guide learners, there will be no instructor present. **Parent participation is required.**

### AGES 3-12

M	1/9-3/6	12pm-2pm	SERL	Free
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**\*No class 1/16 or 2/20**

### BABY PLAYDATE

Baby Playdate is an opportunity for infants 0-2 and their parents or caregivers to play, read books, listen to music and socialize. Unlike a regular storytime, the focus of Baby Playdate is on free play. To provide quality one-on-one bonding time, older siblings may not attend with the infant and parent/caregiver. Registration is required at [www.mclldaz.org](http://www.mclldaz.org). Only the parent or caregiver needs to register for this program.

### AGES 0-2

F	1/13-3/10	10:15-10:45am	SERL	Free
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**\*No class 2/10**

# SOUTHEAST REGIONAL LIBRARY

## PRESCHOOL EXPLORATION CLUB

COME EXPLORE! Join us once a month for hands-on activities for preschoolers and their caregivers. Activities will focus on Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Mathematics. Registration required at [www.mclldaz.org](http://www.mclldaz.org).

### AGES 3-6

T 2/21 11:15-12pm SERL Free

## ▶ STORYTIME

### BABY TIME!

Baby Time is a special one-on-one story time designed to encourage development of language and motor skills by incorporating stories, with simple songs, rhymes, movement activities and finger plays. For infants ages 0-18 months with parents or caregivers. No registration is necessary, but tickets are required and will be distributed at 10:00 a.m. in the Youth Area near the DVD's to those who are physically present. To provide quality one-on-one bonding time, older siblings may not attend with the infant and parent. *Please be prompt; latecomers will not be admitted once Baby Time has begun.*

### 0-18 MONTHS

T 1/10-3/7 10:15-10:45am SERL Free

### STORY TIME FOR WEE ONES

Join us for stories, songs, finger plays, and fun! Learn letters, numbers, colors, and animals and have fun with music and movement activities. All ages are welcome, but the 10:15 story time session is best suited for ages 24-36 months and will include more songs, rhymes, and movement. The 11:15 story time session is best suited for 3-5 years old, with more stories, school readiness content, and hands-on activities. Please note that for safety and comfort, sessions are limited to 40 people, including caregivers, and parents/caregivers are expected to stay with children during story times. Tickets are distributed in the Youth Area at 10 a.m., first-come, first-served until we run out. You must have tickets for each person in your party, and you must be physically present to get tickets. Tickets will not be issued to daycare or preschool groups. Please be prompt; for courtesy reasons, no one will be admitted after story time has started even with tickets in hand.

### 24-36 MONTHS

W 1/11-3/8 10:15-10:45am SERL Free  
TH 1/12-3/9 10:15-10:45am SERL Free



## STORY TIME FOR PRESCHOOLERS

Join us for stories, songs, finger plays, and fun! Learn letters, numbers, colors, and animals and have fun with music and movement activities. All ages are welcome, but the 10:15 story time session is best suited for ages 24-36 months and will include more songs, rhymes, and movement. The 11:15 story time session is best suited for 3-5 years old, with more stories, school readiness content, and hands-on activities. Please note that for safety and comfort, sessions are limited to 40 people, including caregivers, and parents/caregivers are expected to stay with children during story times. Tickets are distributed in the Youth Area at 11 a.m., first-come, first-served until we run out. You must have tickets for each person in your party, and you must be physically present to get tickets. Tickets will not be issued to daycare or preschool groups. Please be prompt; for courtesy reasons, no one will be admitted after story time has started even with tickets in hand.

### 3-5 YEAR-OLDS

W 1/11-3/8 11:15-11:45am SERL Free  
TH 1/12-3/9 11:15-11:45am SERL Free

## ▶ TEEN PROGRAMS

### TEENS CRAFTER HOURS

Teens, enjoy stretching your creative muscles and learning new crafts? Join us for an evening of crafting (6-7:30pm) on the third Wednesday of each month in The Dig! Materials supplied unless stated otherwise. Registration is required at [www.mclldaz.org](http://www.mclldaz.org).

### 12-18 YEAR-OLDS

W 1/18 6-7:30pm SERL Free

## ▶ ADULT BOOK DISCUSSIONS

### MYSTERY BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP

Join us to discuss a mystery title each month.

T 1/10, 2/14 7-8pm SERL Free

### BOOKENDS: ADULT FICTION DISCUSSION GROUP

Adults of all ages read and discuss fiction titles on the third Tuesday of each month.

T 1/17, 2/21 10:30am-12pm SERL Free

## ▶ ADULT PROGRAMS

### EXERCISE YOUR MIND WITH PUZZLES

Do you ever wonder how computer programs work? It's easier than you think! Come join our Code Club. We meet once a week and help you sharpen your mind by solving computer programming puzzles. You can show your kids or grandkids what you make with "code." No experience is required. Come and go as you can, and keep working at home if you want to build your skills further! There will be opportunities to work on your own or in collaboration with classmates. This program is intended for adults only. Please bring headphones or earbuds for instructional videos. Each participant must register at [www.mclldaz.org](http://www.mclldaz.org).

W 1/4-1/25 1:30-3pm SERL Free



## THURSDAY NIGHT FILM CLUB

A book club for the movie-minded! Join us on the first Thursday of each month as we view and discuss film classics and favorites from the 30s through the 80s. General discussion will take place after film screenings, as time allows.

TH 1/5, 2/2, 3/2 6:30-8:30pm SERL Free

## ONE-ON-ONE DIGITAL ASSISTANCE

If you need assistance learning how to download digital eBooks or audio books to your reading device, then please stop in for personalized assistance with a library professional. PLEASE NOTE: Assistance is limited to questions about digital books and services and will not address specific technical questions about each device.

Please be prepared with the following information before attending: basic use of your eReader device such as accessing device settings, accessing WIFI, how to login using device keyboard, etc. **CLASS IS LIMITED TO 3 PEOPLE PER SESSION**

M 1/9-3/6 11am-12pm SERL Free

**\*No class on 1/16 or 2/20**



## CREATIVE CRAFTERS

Join us at the library to talk about crafts with other local enthusiasts while working on your own project! Have fun trading and sharing ideas, techniques and tips while creating and discussing all types of projects. New crafters and all skill levels are always welcome! Appropriate for ages 15 and above.

**AGE 15 and UP**

M 1/9, 1/23, 2/6, 2/27, 3/6 10:30am-12pm SERL Free

## HEALTHRHYTHMS DRUM CIRCLE

Research has shown that drumming reduces stress, strengthens the immune system, and relieves tension and anxiety. Come express yourself and experience the soothing, meditative, stress relief of community drumming. HealthRHYTHMS drum circles use drumming as a tool for wellness, fun, and relaxation. All instruments are provided and no musical experience is necessary. This program is limited to adults only. Registration is required at [www.mcladaz.org](http://www.mcladaz.org).

M 1/9, 2/13 6:30-8pm SERL Free

## ARIZONA OPERA PREVIEW

Opera is the ultimate art form since it combines all other disciplines into one incredible work of art. Join Arizona Opera's Joshua Borths for a discussion about the history of the art form and what to listen for when you attend a performance. Special attention will be paid to the works of Puccini in honor of Arizona Opera's "Madama Butterfly." Special music will be provided as a preview to the opera. Registration required at [www.mcladaz.org](http://www.mcladaz.org).

T 1/10 3-4pm SERL Free

## GENEALOGY: THE LOW-DOWN ON DNA TESTING

Continue your family tree climbing adventure by getting your questions about DNA testing answered. Do you need a DNA test? What information will the test provide? Which test do you need? Registration required at [www.mcladaz.org](http://www.mcladaz.org).

W 1/11 10-11:30am SERL Free

## BOOK WALK AROUND GILBERT PARKS AND RECREATION'S RIPARIAN PRESERVE

Discuss your favorite historical fiction authors/books on a Book Walk around Gilbert Parks & Recreation's Riparian Preserve. Book lovers are invited to stroll around and enjoy the scenery of the Riparian Preserve while discussing your favorite books from the "historical fiction" genre. Come prepared with a list of your favorite historical fiction authors and the latest titles you've read.

F 1/13 10:15-11:15am SERL Free

## FINANCES: BUDGETING, MANAGING CREDIT AND DEBT, AND PROTECTING YOUR MONEY

Are you struggling to make ends meet? Is your credit card debt mounting? Do you need help controlling, improving, or protecting your finances? This presentation will give you the tools, support, and resources you need. Workshop covers budgeting, managing credit and debt, saving and protecting your money. Registration required at [www.mcladaz.org](http://www.mcladaz.org).

SAT 1/21 10-11:30am SERL Free

## INVESTING: THE BASICS OF STOCKS, BONDS, AND MUTUAL FUNDS

Are you interested in planning for retirement but confused by all of the choices for investing your money? Not sure how to allocate your 401K portfolio? Do you want to make the best choices for your current life situation? A representative from the Arizona Corporation Commission Securities Division will be here to provide an overview of different types of investments, making wise decisions with your money, and avoiding investment fraud. Registration required at [www.mcladaz.org](http://www.mcladaz.org).

M 1/23 7-8:30pm SERL Free

## YEAR ROUND DESERT ADAPTED FLOWERS

There are many types of beautiful flowers that can be grown in the desert. Plan for year round color and interest in your yard. Select plants that will do well in our climate and meet your individual needs. Presented by Lee Ann Aronson, Master Gardener. Registration required at [www.mcladaz.org](http://www.mcladaz.org).

SAT 1/28 11am-12pm SERL Free

## SMALL BUSINESS TAX WORKSHOP

Tax specialist and IRS counselor, Jim Traub, offers this free, informative workshop for self-employed and independent contractors and small business owners. Topics will include business deductions, IRS rules and regulations, proper record-keeping, and commonly overlooked business expenses. IRS supplied publications will be available. Registration required at [www.mcladaz.org](http://www.mcladaz.org).

M 1/30, 2/27 6:30-8pm SERL Free

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## GENEALOGY: HOW TO TRACE YOUR IRISH ANCESTORS WITHOUT GOING TO IRELAND

Learn about the unique challenges due to destroyed and missing records, multiple jurisdictions and Irish family naming patterns. This workshop will cover resources at the Phoenix McClelland Library available to assist with tracing Irish ancestry, and the reasons that most Irish research starts in the U.S. and how Irish migration patterns can provide clues to your ancestor's origins. This workshop will cover what Irish records still exist and where to find them, including many online sources. Registration required at [www.mclldaz.org](http://www.mclldaz.org).

W 2/1 10-11:30am SERL Free

## SUN, SOIL, AND WATER FOR SPRING!

Learn about what to plant in the Spring, yes it makes a huge difference! Understand the use of different soils, watering practices and the effects of sun on plants. Presented by Lee Ann Aronson, Master Gardener. Registration required at [www.mclldaz.org](http://www.mclldaz.org).

SAT 2/11 11am-12pm SERL Free

## BOOK WALK: MILITARY NONFICTION

Discuss your favorite new and soon-to-be published non-fiction authors and titles on a book walk around Gilbert Parks and Recreation's Riparian Preserve. Books lovers are invited to stroll with us and enjoy nature in the preserve while we discuss our favorites. Come get some new titles to add your must-read list. Registration required at [www.mclldaz.org](http://www.mclldaz.org).

F 2/17 10:15-11:15am SERL Free

## ABCDs OF MEDICARE

Did you know Medicare comes in either Traditional Medicare or Medicare Advantage? How do Parts A, B, and D work with each of these two options? This presentation addresses these questions and offers information on Medicare's enrollment periods and savings programs. Registration is required at [www.mclldaz.org](http://www.mclldaz.org).

SAT 2/18 10-11:30am SERL Free

## GENEALOGY: HISTORICAL NEWSPAPERS

Learn how historical newspapers can assist in your family tree research. Registration required at [www.mclldaz.org](http://www.mclldaz.org).

W 3/1 10-11:30am SERL Free



## Friends of the Library

775 N. Greenfield Rd. M-SAT 10am-4pm  
480-539-5128 SUN Closed



### Mission Statement

Friends of the Southeast Regional & Perry Branch Library

The mission of the Friends of the Southeast Regional Library & Perry Branch is to aid & support our local libraries, promote literacy in children & adults, & expand the presence of the library for the benefit of the community. We also promote & encourage volunteering & participate in relevant library & community literacy programs.

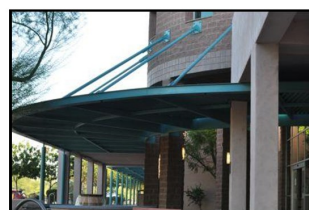
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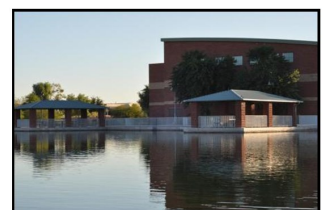
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### MAIN CLIENT CONTACT INFORMATION

FIRST NAME	LAST NAME	
ADDRESS	CITY	ZIP CODE
EMAIL ADDRESS	HOME PHONE	CELL PHONE
Residency: <input type="checkbox"/> Gilbert <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Resident <input type="checkbox"/> County Island <input type="checkbox"/> Other		

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### ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND RELEASE OF ALL CLAIMS

I allow my child and myself to participate in Gilbert Parks & Recreation programs and activities, including transportation provided, and to use Gilbert recreation facilities including but not limited to any climbing wall or equipment on site. I release the Town of Gilbert and its employees of any liability, claims or demands, which we may have hereafter as a result of my child's and my own participation in programs and activities and use of recreation facilities. I understand that the Town of Gilbert has no medical insurance for my child or me. I understand there are risks involved with physical exertion and use of recreation facilities, including serious injury. I certify that my child's and my own physical condition are satisfactory to participate in programs/activities. I also give my permission for any photographs, audio or video recordings taken of my child and/or myself to be used by the Town of Gilbert for any lawful purpose, including the promotion of Town events on the Town's website or the Town's social media sites. I further waive any and all right to privacy, compensation, or the right to inspect or approve the photographs, audio or video recordings used. I am at least 18 years of age, and verify that all information provided at registration or on this form is correct. Providing incorrect information including but not limited to date of birth and address is grounds for removal from the program and may result in suspension of the privilege to participate in future programs.

I further understand that should I cancel my participation I may be entitled to a refund of the class or program fee, or if I do nothing I can receive a credit for a period of one year from the first date of the class or program for which one originally registered. Such credit may be used for any Gilbert Parks and Recreation Department class, program or rental. Should I not use this credit within one year, I consent to the donation of my credit to the Town of Gilbert Parks and Recreation Department.

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PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

DATE

REGISTRATION WILL NOT BE PROCESSED WITHOUT SIGNATURE

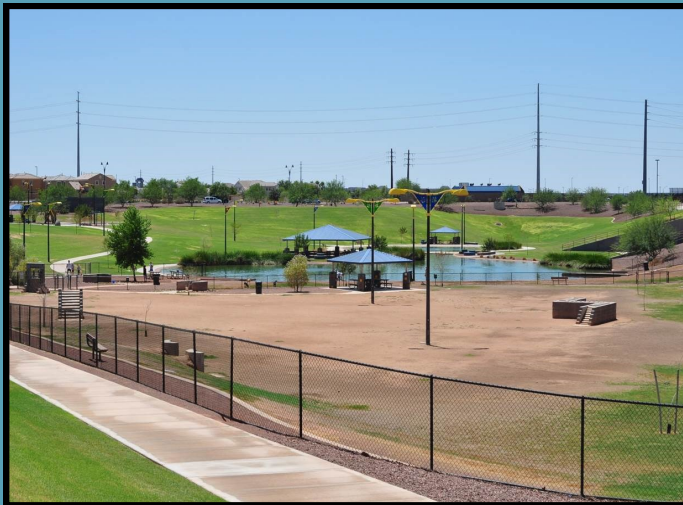
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